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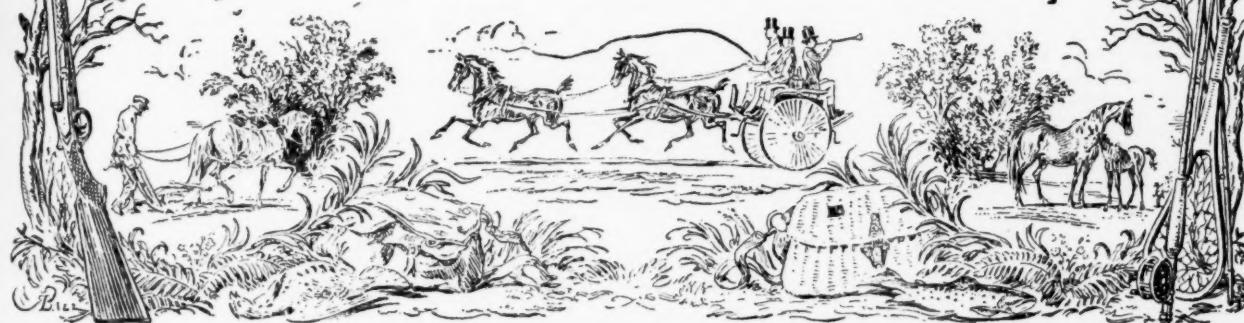
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INTERNATIONAL COURSES

The recent European campaign of the U. S. Equestrian Team established three things. First that international jumping events have not stood still since Helsinki, but have incorporated many changes which it was essential for our team to learn before competing in the Olympic events at Stockholm next June. Second that potentially our horses are equal to the best; even though green as grass, they learned quickly and brought home 26 ribbons from 5 shows, a very creditable achievement considering the fact that there were 60 to 80 contestants per class including the best horses and riders in the world. Finally it emphasized that we cannot prepare horses for international events by means of competition in this country, since virtually none of our horse shows offer courses of international type.

It is curious that although all other sports featured at the Olympic Games are run in accordance with international specifications, we still insist on running our jumping events in horse shows according to our own provincial rules. We have our hunting fields and our steeple-chase courses to develop riders for the roads and trails, cross country and steeplechase phases of the Three Day Event, but we have almost no horse show classes or other competitions to develop riders for the dressage and stadium jumping phases, for the Grand Prix de Dressage and for the Prix des Nations. By way of contrast in England and the continental countries there are Combined Training Events and shows with international courses available practically every week throughout the entire season.

We are nevertheless making a little progress. The American Horse Shows Association this year instituted the U.S.E.T. Equitation Medal Class which includes a dressage test and others have been offered by individual shows. The number of Three Day type events, most of them modified, although still woefully inadequate, is growing. But we still need to do much more.

The problem is to induce horse show managers to offer international type courses. Under the present rules they can get plenty of entries by offering the less expensive open jumper courses—so why change. At a recent directors meeting of the U. S. Equestrian Team, Inc. where this problem was discussed, Major General Guy V. Henry proposed that the Jumper Committee of the A.H.S.A. draw up specifications for courses at three different levels, International, Intermediate and Ordinary. Many different obstacles at each level would be listed from which horse show managers could select the particular

combinations they preferred, the only restriction being that a certain ratio of spread jumps to up and down fences be maintained. Suggestions as to construction methods and distances between fences would be included.

To put this proposal into effect triple points toward show championships and toward the A.H.S.A. High Score Award would be given to winners over International courses, double points over Intermediate courses and single points over Ordinary courses. The Jumper Committee of the A.H.S.A. is well equipped to draft these changes, particularly since its Chairman is William C. Stein-kraus, a member of the team which went abroad last summer and currently Captain of the team which will compete at Harrisburg, The Garden and Toronto.

We have no doubt that Gen. Henry's proposal would constitute a major step toward increased competition at the International level in this country.

Letters

Wanted Good Home

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Should any of your readers be interested in this matter, I would be most happy to hear from them and most grateful to you for your kind offices.

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Barefoot Horses

Dear Sir:

In the light of your September 30 editorial "The Horseshoer" you might be interested in our experience with horses' feet.

In 1951 we moved to the country where we have been keeping our horses at home. Previously we had been living in

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BREEDING

AND

Racing

REVIEW OF THE WEEK



Howell E. Jackson's Home Bred Nasrina Wins The Gardenia Stakes

Snowden Carter

Belmont Park

Had it not been that Nashua moved into second place in the world's money-winning standings on the same afternoon at the same race track, Beau Fond would have received more publicity.

His race in Belmont's \$25,000-added Champagne Stakes (October 15) was outstanding.

Over a sloppy track the 2-year-old son of Beau Gem and Fondenella was timed the one-mile distance in 1:36%—giving him the third fastest Champagne victory since the race was set at one mile in 1940. Only horses to win in faster time (both victories over fast tracks) were Al-sab and Count Fleet.

Beau Fond is a 100 per cent son of Virginia. He is by a stallion standing at Kentmere Farm and from a mare owned by Mrs. E. B. Lee. Owned by Mrs. Henry H. Hecht, of Baltimore, Beau Fond is a product of the Saratoga yearling sales where he went to Bill Hicks for a lowly \$2,500.

Hicks raced the gelding in Florida early in the year, then broke his maiden at Bowie. After the Bowie victory, Hicks sold Beau Fond to Mrs. Hecht for approximately \$10,000.

The Champagne, which was having its eighty-fifth running was Beau Fond's first stakes victory. He earned \$22,700 in the race, bringing his total to \$37,440 for twelve trips postward.

C. V. Whitney's Head Man went off odds-on favorite in the Champagne (he had finished a strong second to Nail in the previous week's Futurity), but Beau Fond won by five lengths without being roused. Head Man stumbled leaving the gate, but it is still doubtful if he would have caught the Virginian.

Bob Horwood, the *Morning Telegraph* correspondent, said Beau Fond's race was "fairly remarkable". Eddie Arcaro, his rider, said: "I don't know how good this colt is on the dry ground, but he's a terror in the slop".

The problem faced by Mrs. Hecht this week was whether she should gamble \$10,000 of her winning purse to make Beau Fond a supplemental nominee for the \$100,000-added Garden State Stakes, October 29.

Speaking for his wife, Hecht said: "I'm going to talk to Arcaro, and I think I'll let his judgment be the deciding factor. If they could guarantee me a sloppy track, I'd nominate him in a minute."

Supplemental nominations close October 24.

Should the Garden State be passed up, Beau Fond will get his next major engagement in Florida. Hecht plans to bring the gelding along for the 3-year-old classics. Beau Fond, incidentally, is from the first crop of the imported Australian stallion Beau Gem.

Of Nashua's score in the thirty-seventh

running of the \$75,000-added **Jockey Club Gold Cup**, much could be written. He won like a champion, even though his time was slow and his opposition moderate.

Winning by five lengths from Thinking Cap, the William Woodward-owned 3-year-old was clocked in 3.24% for the two-mile course (track record: 3.20%). Arcaro, of course, was in the irons and Nashua paid a \$2.50 mutuel as prohibitive favorite in the five-horse field.

The bay son of Nasrullah and Segula was gaining his tenth victory out of twelve starts this year and earned \$52,850. The purse boosted his lifetime total to \$945,415 placing him second to Citation (\$1,085,760), in the all-time money winning standings.

His seasonal earnings of \$752,550 constitute a new world's record for money won in a single year.

Woodward and trainer Jim Fitzsimmons plan to leave well enough alone for 1955. They say the home-bred champion will be given a vacation, at least until the big races start coming up in Florida after the first of the year.

The eighty-fourth running of the \$50,000-added **Ladies Handicap** (October 12) found the track fast (for a change), the finish a photo and the winner an 18-1 outsider. It was Christopher T. Chenevry's **Manotick** (it was really Virginia's week at Belmont) who earned the head decision from Wheatley Stable's Misty Morn, the 2-1 favorite.

Manotick, a 3-year-old daughter of Double Jay and Scenery II, got the mile and a half distance in 2.31% and picked up a check for \$43,900. The Claiborne Farm-bred filly was gaining her first stakes victory since the Gazelle in June (she was 45-1 in that race). Her lifetime earnings now total a quite respectable \$95,550.

Taught by J. H. Hayes and ridden by Angelo Valenzuela, Manotick maintained her frustrating record of losing all 1955 races when favorite and winning (for the third time this year) when not the public's choice.

Nance's Lad, one of the season's better 3-year-olds, won the sixteenth running of the \$20,000-added **Yonkers Handicap** (October 10) without undue exertion. Installed odds-on favorite in the seven-furlong test for all-age horses, Nance's Lad was never worse than second, pulled clear easily under Hedley Woodhouse and scored by two and a half lengths from Red Hannigan.

Owned and trained by former jockey Hilton (Rabbit) Dabson, Nance's Lad carried 122 pounds and was timed in 1.24 over a fast strip. He earned \$16,650 and was in hand at the finish.

Nance's Lad is a son of Nance's Ace, the brilliant surprising sprinting mare

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which Dabson campaigned a few seasons back. Bred by Dabson, the colt has earned \$107,975. He is a bay son of Slide Rule, who stands in New Jersey.

Although Nance's Lad has achieved his bankroll largely by beating the second raters of the 3-year-old division (he did win over the speedy Boston Doge, however, last spring), the colt ran some creditable races behind the big ones—Nashua, Traffic Judge and Saratoga.

Garden State Park

Fittingly enough, the first running of the \$50,000-added **Gardenia Stakes** went to a daughter of America's hottest stallion—Nasrullah. The 2-year-old filly race was contested over the mile and a sixteenth course and it was Eugene Mori's Cosmopolitan which went off 13-10 favorite.

But Howell E. Jackson's home-bred daughter of Nasrullah and Red Shoes proved much the best in the sloppy going. Nasrina held a two and a half length margin over Cosmopolitan at the finish and was timed in a quite respectable 1.45%.

Nasrina, trained by Ed Christmas, was gaining only the second win of her career. She earned \$87,575 in the race, giving her \$93,350 for seven starts. Her only previous victory was at Saratoga over maidens, and in the Matron and Schuylerville (her only two previous stakes appearances) she had finished fifth.

The thirteenth running of the \$25,000-added **Benjamin Franklin Handicap** was a closely contested race (October 12), and it was Harry Z. Isaacs' **Imagen** which won by three-quarters of a length from Brookmeade Stable's Sailor.

Willie Hartack had the mount on the home-bred son of Ace Admiral and In The Purple and brought him from next-to-last position in the mile and a sixteenth race to get the distance in a smart 1:43%.

Imagen, trained by Ed Kelly, was meeting only moderate class 3-year-olds in the race. He, himself, was gaining his first stakes victory out of a lifetime career of 14 previous starts and the \$21,300 earned in the race more than doubled his previous earnings.

Biggest disappointment of the race was
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Steeplechasing At Belmont

Mrs. Ogden Phipps' Neji Takes The Belmont Grand National By A Head From Rythminhim

Spectator

In one of the most exciting races in its long history, Mrs. Ogden Phipps' Neji won the 55th running of the Grand National by a head from Rythminhim. His Boots and Hyvania were third and fourth in that order after being very much in contention right up to the final fence. Rythminhim led at this fence by half a length, with Neji next, and in the run to the wire, Dooley Adams on Neji and Pat Smithwick on Rythminhim gave a fine performance of riding skill. Charging across the Widener chute on even terms, Rythminhim gained a slight advantage, and appeared to have about a head advantage in front of the odds board, but at this point Adams switched from a whip to hand riding and the Phipps gelding responded gamely to just "cop" it at the wire.

Brookmeade Stable's ten-year-old, His Boots, which won the 1949 and 1953 editions of the National ran a magnificent race, in front for most of the grueling three mile trip. Under 135 lbs. 28 less than the winner, and ridden by Bobby McDonald, His Boots set a moderate pace for a turn of the field with the remainder of the 8 horse field in close attendance. Hyvania lay closest to him, but Adams kept Neji in striking position at all times. Shipboard, top weight of the field with 165 lbs., was held off the slow pace by Albert Foot, but was never very far out of it at any time. Rounding into the back stretch the last time, with about two miles completed, the pace quickened, but each of the eight were still very much in contention. His Boots held the advantage by about two lengths, and Hyvania, Neji, Palaja and Rythminhim were closely grouped behind him. Midway through the backstretch, Albert Foot moved Shipboard up, while Palaja dropped back, and at the 16th jump, except for the last mentioned and Billing Bear, it was anybody's race. Shipboard bobbed at

this fence, but Foot rushed him up again, and at the next, His Boots led by just about a length, while behind him, five horses practically across the track took this fence. Shipboard on the inside at this point, took off well, but landed poorly and went for a hard fall and turned over. Racing for the far turn, a tight knot of horses made it a real race, with Rythminhim getting command. The eighteenth jump, the one on the turn, eliminated Bavaria where he fell with Willard Thompson, and as the field rounded into the homestretch, a scarce length and a half separated Rythminhim, Neji, Hyvania and His Boots. Coming to the last jump under a drive, His Boots came over on Neji, and a moment later Rythminhim on the outside came in and appeared to bother Neji as he took off at the jump. Neither of these two incidents were important enough to have affected the result however, and once over the final jump, it was strictly a two horse contest between Neji and Rythminhim.

Neji's time for the three miles was a modest 5:54%, about fifteen seconds off the course record, but quite up to expectations considering the soft going, and the lack of pace. He earned \$19,200 for Mrs. Phipps out of a gross purse of \$28,250, and established himself as the leading money winning chaser of the season to date, having won the richly endowed Brook Steeplechase ten days previously, and the International at the Spring meeting.

While Neji is a proven weight carrier, it is interesting to note that only two five-year-olds before him have successfully carried more than 163 lbs., in the Grand National. One of these was Oedipus, also trained by George H. "Pete" Bostwick, and the famous Jolly Roger of yesteryear. Each of the two mentioned carried 165 lbs.

While Rythminhim, the runner-up, was

in receipt of 17 lbs., from the winner, this "homely" little five-year-old, which climbed the steeplechase ladder of success slowly, ran a powerful race, and all things considered, this was his best effort of the season, even though he lost by the proverbial whisker.

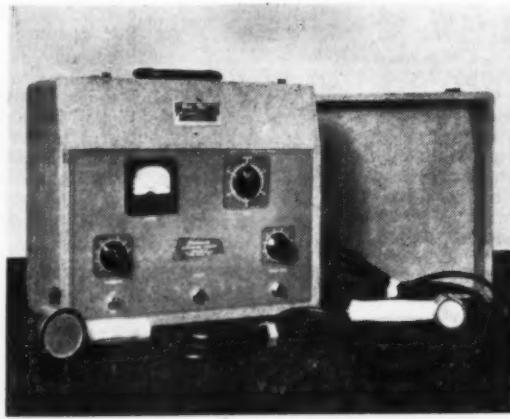
Considering the difference in class, and with the weight arrangements which ran from 165 on Shipboard, 163 on Neji, down the 130's on five of the remaining, the National was an excellent race from start to finish, and there was every reason to believe both Shipboard and Bavaria would have been right there at the end with better racing luck.

On Monday, October 10th, The Reykjavik, a three-year-old race named after Mrs. Marion Scott's good hurdle mare of several years ago, drew eight horses postward at the mile and a half distance, and developed into one of the nicest contests of the meeting. Bob McDonald on Mrs. H. T. McKnight's Corkage went out to set the pace, and held that position throughout after turning back repeated challenges, including the last and most serious from Mrs. M. G. Walsh's Basilia. At various times during the running a large blanket would have covered the field, and at the final hurdle, three horses were practically neck and neck, with Corkage having a slight advantage over Basilia and French Field. Roget and Arrius were close by at this point, but a bobble by the latter all but unseated Kennie Field and the horse lost whatever chance he might have had. A bobble by Basilia at this same hurdle was probably a costly one also, for in the run in on the flat, Basilia appeared to be catching the winner, and missed by just half a length. In contrast French Field appeared to hang slightly and was two lengths further back, with Roget an equal distance away for fourth.

The following day, Llangollen's The Proff, the leading four-year-old hurdler of the year, made his debut over brush at the major tracks, and proved that his initial outing over the bigger jumps at Rolling Rock, where he won, was no fluke, for he bested a nice field to win by six lengths under pull. Ridden by Dooley Adams, and carrying an unaccustomed low weight of 130 lbs., The Proff just toyed with his field, moved to the front when asked and never gave his backers a bad moment. Fencing like

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331—by Better Self

B. c. (twin) by Better Self—*Begum II, by Rustom Pasha. Half brother to the stakes winner INDIAN LEGEND, to Begorra (winner of over \$50,000), and Bedeviller. Out of winning sister to the excellent Argentine stakes winner Bambuca.

351—by Devil Diver

Dk. b. c. by Devil Diver—Europa, by Bull Lea. Out of winning half sister to FLYING FURY (winner Champagne and Derby Trial Stakes). Second dam, Sicily, won Top Flight H., Alabama S.

389—by Amphitheatre

B. f. by Amphitheatre—Sail Cloth, by War Admiral. Out of winning half sister to four stakes winners: SULEIMAN, TAHITI, BLUE PRINCE, and GREEN BAIZE.

332—by Menow

B. c. by Menow—Bimlette, by Bimelech. Out of the Frizette Stakes winner Bimlette, dam of three foals, all winners, including MAHARAJAH, stakes winner at 3 and 4, 1955. Second dam is Bloodroot.

367—by Devil Diver

Blk. c. by Devil Diver—Knot Hole, by Shut Out. Out of Knot Hole, winner at 2 and 3, and 2nd in Matron, Marguerite S., 3rd Selma Stakes. Half sister to the dam of Smart Devil.

394—by Devil Diver

Br. f. by Devil Diver—Stormy Cruise, by Third Degree. Out of winning half sister to Mainsail and Overboard. Second dam, Pinnace, is half sister to the stakes winners GREEK SHIP, SKY SHIP, RAMPART, NOBLE HERO, RIA RICA, etc.

343—by Bimelech

B. c. by Bimelech—Dancing Lesson, by Questionnaire. Out of winner whose two foals are winners: Square Dance and Grey Slipper. Out of half sister to stakes winners THE RHYMER, SWEEP SWINGER, and UP BEAT.

372—by My Request

Dk. b. c. by My Request—*Ma Fleche, by Rustom Pasha. Only two foals from *Ma Fleche are the winners William Tell and Alleon. Out of sister to the Argentine 2,000 Guineas winner Black Out and half sister to the top class *Blackie II, leading filly in Argentina in 1941.

404—by Ponder

Dk. b. c. by Ponder—Wait for Baby, by Royal Minstrel. Out of winner, dam of 3 foals, 3 winners including stakes winner STAR BOUT and Three and Two (placed in stakes) and Vigil. Wait for Baby is sister to stakes winner EASY DOES IT and half sister to \$130,325 winner EL LOBO.

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Rose Tree Race Meeting

*Hunters Moon IV and Star Beacon Mares Score In Day's Features For Weymouth Stable

Chris Wood, Jr.

All's well that ends well!

In spite of early torrential rains which turned the grounds into a quagmire and a fire in the Lincoln Tunnel, which delayed participants, the Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club held its 96th consecutive fall meeting near Media, Pa., on Saturday, October 15. Due to the delay of riders and trainers enroute from morning chores at Belmont Park, the officials shifted the races around to get the meeting off at its 2:00 o'clock posttime.

The exceedingly deep going seemed to be made to order for the 'chasers from George T. Weymouth's stable as his *Hunters Moon IV mare Chee Oaks and Star Salome, by Star Beacon, registered their first victories of the year for the popular Greenville, Del. patron. The latter mare scored the most popular win as she was ridden by the owners son, Eugene, who also trains.

Meeting 4 contenders in the Rose Tree Hunters Challenge Cup, Star Salome was at her best over the soft turf. Off to a good start, the mare led the small field for most of the 3 mile journey over 21 timber fences. At the 10th fence she permitted M. H. Bears, Jr.'s Credo under Grover Stephens to assume a brief command and on approaching the final fence Melvin Ferral got Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh, Jr.'s Dancing Beacon up to show in front by a neck as he sailed the obstacle with Star Salome on the inside. Upon landing, young Weymouth went to work on his mount which responded to win by a half-length. Noted as a mudlark, Mrs. M. G. Walsh's versatile Repose could do no better than finish third with his usual rider, John Cotter, in the saddle. No mishaps marred the running of the race run in 6:30% seconds and Credo and Mrs. Charles C. Jelke's Big Breeze finished behind the money horses as named to complete the field.

Having accounted for the timber event with Done Sleeping in 1952 and Flash B. last year, Mr. Weymouth gained permanent possession of the beautiful trophy presented by Bliss Flaccus, who retired the preceding challenge cup.

Making a debut over brush and finding it to her liking, Mr. Weymouth's Chee Oaks literally ran away from her 4 competitors to win the W. Plunket Stewart Memorial Challenge Cup. Breaking well, the mare led over the 1st jump by a length with A. H. Smith's Grand Chal and Guilford Dudley, Jr.'s Here's Why in attendance. Permitted to run on her own by apprentice jockey John Knowles, Chee Oaks fenced flawlessly and improved her position throughout to win by 12 lengths. Miss E. S. Bromley's *Kingale easily gained the place berth, 6 lengths to the fore of Here's Why. Grand Chal and Meadow Mint completed the finishing field as Harry M. Rhett, Jr.'s Port Call fell over the 9th jump with apprentice jockey Custer Cassidy, who was not injured. Displaying very bad form over brush, Meadow Mint gave A. P. "Paddy" Smithwick a rough time for the 2 miles and 12 jumps, which the winner negotiated in 3:47.

Only 3 of the 8 nominees answered the call in the Foxcatcher Plate, a 2 mile brush handicap. After nearly unseating jockey John Cotter when he bobbed the first jump, Mrs. M. G. Walsh's *Templier regained the form which carried him to victory at Belmont Park recently and led his small field for the balance of the journey. Recently obtained from Mrs. Walsh at the Belmont Park sale by J. Turner Moore, Jr., Crag, winner of Rolling Rock's International Gold Cup two weeks ago, finished 2nd. C. Mahlon Kline's Flaw completed the field to finish third and last. The winner, a French-bred 'chaser formerly owned by the Sanford Stud, covered the distance in 3:45.

Charles W. Stitzer's *Another Hyacinth registered his 5th victory of the year by winning the Riddle Cup, a 1 mile turf test. Ably handled by A. P. "Paddy" Smithwick, the 6-year-old gelding took over the lead from W. C. Stillwell's Early American at the $\frac{3}{4}$ pole and went on to win by 2 lengths in 1:52. Llangollen Farm's Tall Tree, with Charles Harr up, easily bested Mrs. Wm. C. Wright's Breakfront for the place award. Trained by M. G. "Mickey" Walsh, *Another Hyacinth has won races on the turf and over brush and hurdles. While racing in the latter division this past summer, the Irish import accounted for the coveted United Hunts Purse at Monmouth Park.

Meeting 5 contenders in the Autumn Stayers Plate, a $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile turf race which closed a good day of sport, Llangollen Farm's *Regal Squire scored a convincing victory over C. Mahlon Kline's Lethnot. Ridden by Charles Harr, the winner was drawing away at the conclusion of the route with a $2\frac{1}{2}$ lengths margin. The favored *Tico Tico, owned by Arthur E. Pew, Jr., and ridden by F. D. "Dooley" Adams, could finish no better than 3rd, 5 lengths behind Mr. Kline's color-bearer. A 3-year-old gelding by Owen Tudor—*Mable, by Big Game, the winner registered 2:47 $\frac{3}{5}$ for the $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles of deep going.

SUMMARIES

THE AGRICULTURAL STAKES, abt. 6 fur., 3 and up, flat. Purse \$150. Net value to winner \$90; 2nd: \$40; 3rd: \$20. Winner: b. m., 5, by Cloth o'Gold—Value Received, by Good Goods. Trainer: G. W. Rutt. Breeder: Mrs. R. W. Mitchell. Time: 1:13.

1. Splash o'Gold, (J. F. Seldomridge), 137, A. Seldomridge.

2. Blue Memories, (R. L. Christman), 145, R. Christman.

3. Crazy People, (W. Crosson), 142, L. Graham.

9 started and finished: also ran (order of finish): Mrs. J. T. Pennicks Street Singer, 145, H. Rulon; Mrs. C. Smith, Jr.'s Nascent Speed, 137, H. Hammond; J. F. Seldomridge's Helen's Vino, 140, C. Gilpin; G. DiSantis' Baiardi, Jr., 140, A. Dearstyn; Mrs. H. King's Two Bucks, 145, W. King; W. Crosson's Crazy Capers, 135, R. Mitchell.

Gilpin. Won by 1: place by $1\frac{1}{2}$; show by $\frac{1}{2}$. No scratches.

THE RIDDLE CUP, abt. 1 mi., all ages, al. flat. Purse, \$300. Net value to winner, \$185; 2nd: \$60; 3rd: \$30; 4th: \$15. Winner: b. g., 6, by Hyacinthus—Aughafarnan, by Wavetop. Trainer: M. G. Walsh. Breeder: J. J. Mansfield (Ireland). Time: 1:52.

1. *Another Hyacinth, (C. W. Stitzer), 160, A. P. Smithwick.

2. Tall Tree, (Llangollen Farm), 151, C. Harr.

3. Breakfront, (Mrs. W. C. Wright), 140, E. Deveau.

7 started and finished: also ran (order of finish): C. M. Kline's Good Cards, 147, M. Ferral; W. C. Stillwell's Early American, 135, R. Gilpin; W. H. Frantz' Escarp, 140, W. Frantz, Jr.; K. K. Manners' Wee Jo, 147, L. Graham. Won by 2: place by 5; show by neck. Scratched: Grail Flight, *Tico Tico, Port Call, Boot Cover, *Manaos, *Regal Squire.

THE W. PLUNKET STEWART MEMORIAL CHALLENGE CUP, abt. 2 mi., 3 & up, al. br. Purse, \$500. Net value to winner, \$315; 2nd: \$100; 3rd: \$50; 4th: \$25. Winner: b. m., 5, by *Hunters Moon IV—Some Wrackette, by Rockminster. Trainer: E. Weymouth. Breeder: Miss E. W. P. Keith. Time: 3:47.

1. Chee Oaks, (G. T. Weymouth), 133, J. Knowles.

2. *Kingale, (Miss E. S. Bromley), 145, M. Ferrell.

3. Here's Why, (G. Dudley, Jr.), 145, D. DeLaunay.

6 started; 5 finished: also ran (order of finish): A. H. Smith's Grand Chal, 138, J. Aitcheson, Jr.; J. B. Merryman's Meadow Mint, 153, A. P. Smithwick; fell (6th): H. M. Rhett, Jr.'s Port Call, 141, C. Cassidy. Won by 12: place by 6: show by 8. Scratched: Ring o'Roses, French Field, *Follies Bergere.

THE ROSE TREE HUNTER CHALLENGE CUP, abt. 3 mi., 4 & up, al. tim. Purse, \$500. Net value to winner, \$315; 2nd: \$100; 3rd: \$50; 4th: \$25. Winner: b. m., 6, by Star Beacon—Herodine, by *Dear Herod. Trainer: E. Weymouth. Breeder: Mrs. G. P. Metcalf. Time: 6:30%.

1. Star Salome, (G. T. Weymouth), 157, E. Weymouth.

2. Dancing Beacon, (Mrs. G. P. Greenhalgh, Jr.), 165, M. Ferral.

3. Repose, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 168, J. Cotter.

5 started & finished: also ran (order of finish): M. H. Bears, Jr.'s Credo, 159, G. Stephens; Mrs. C. C. Jelke's Big Breeze, 169, C. Jelke. Won by $1\frac{1}{2}$: place by 3 $\frac{1}{2}$; show by 7. Scratched: Gillian, Galant Ship.

THE FOXCATCHER PLATE, abt. 2 mi., 3 & up, br. Purse, \$600. Net value to winner, \$380; 2nd: \$120; 3rd: \$60. Winner: b. h., 8, by Magister—Tempest, by Town Guard. Trainer: M. G. Walsh. Breeder: P. Massot (France). Time: 3:45.

1. *Templier, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 145, J. Cotter.

2. Crag, (J. T. Moore, Jr.), 156, A. P. Smithwick.

3. Flaw, (C. M. Kline), 143, E. Deveau.

3 started and finished. Won by 2 $\frac{1}{2}$; place by Continued On Page 9



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The Rolling Rock Hunt Races

Crag Wins International Gold Cup; The Proff the Rolling Rock Hunt Cup

Chris Wood, Jr.

Proving once again that you have to put a lot in, if you expect to get a lot out, the Rolling Rock Hunt Racing Association staged one of its top meetings on Wednesday, October 5, and Saturday October 8. Operated for the benefit of Pittsburgh's Industrial Home for Crippled Children, the two-day session disbursed over \$17,000 in purse monies.

The largest share of the monetary disbursal went to Mrs. M. G. Walsh, via the efforts of her Crag in the 19th running of the International Gold Cup. Drawing away from his field with each stride in the stretch, the 7-year-old Piping Rock—Highclere gelding scored a convincing 7-lengths victory under the guidance of John Cotter. Favored to repeat his winning effort of 1953, Mrs. T. A. Randolph's Uncle Joe finished 2nd, about 5 lengths to the fore of Harry S. Nichols' game little Ginny Bug.

Despite the announcement of his engagement to Helen Ferguson, starter Plumb remained cool and got the field of 8 contenders for the gross purse of \$6,100 off to a good start in front of the grandstand. Under A. P. "Paddy" Smithwick, Uncle Joe led the hopefuls over the first fence by 2 lengths, with Mrs. Vernon G. Cardy's new purchase, Montadet, and Charles C. Jelke's Rico Knight following. After the field negotiated the 1st obstacle, F. D. "Dooley" Adams had trouble keeping Mrs. Ogden Phipps' Indian Fire in line for the 2nd obstacle. With all of the field over safely, Indian Fire got his head in the downhill run to the 3rd and ran out on landing. Unfortunately, Mrs. Cordelia Scaife May's Billing Bear, last year's winner, was on the inside of the rogue and was carried off the course in the mishap.

Displaying his usual fencing ability, Uncle Joe continued to lead the remaining 'chasers, but could not extend it to an advantage as he was being threatened by Rico Knight, who went very well until he reached himself and cut a tendon in a foreleg. As Uncle Joe tired from Rico Knight's pushing, Crag moved to the front on approaching the 12th jump. The latter continued to improve his position until the wire was reached. Behind the money horses, Monkey Wrench, Montadet and the injured Rico Knight finished as named.

A winner over hurdles at Monmouth Park this past summer, Crag registered 5:22 for the 2½ miles over 16 brush jumps and gave trainer M. G. "Mickey" Walsh his 32nd winner over jumps for the year. This virtually assures the Celt from Southern Pines, N. C., the American steeplechase trainers' leadership for the 3rd straight year. In winning the richest race on the hunt racing circuit, Crag picked up a net sum of \$4,275 for his popular owner.

The Walsh family narrowly missed another victory, as the English Grand National hope, Repose, failed to catch Charles M. Cann's Galant Ship in the stretch drive for the \$1,000 Western Pennsylvania Hunt Cup. Ridden, and now trained by Grover Stephens, the timber-topper from West Chester, Pa., scored by ¾'s of a length to chalk up a consecutive victory over timber and his 4th of the year. Rated in 2nd position

until the 14th fence, Galant Ship led his 5 contenders over the 15th obstacle by 4 lengths with Mrs. Marshall Exnicios' Laddie Boy and George T. Weymouth's Star Salome following as named. Repose, a noted trailer, was in 6th and last position at this juncture. In the uphill run to the 18th and final fence, Eugene Weymouth pushed Star Salome into 2nd place, only to fade badly in the stretch to finish a tiring 4th. Closing with a rush, Repose was third over the last fence, but his drive in the stretch was not enough to overcome the leader's advantage. Capt. J. L. B. Bentley's Gillian closed well to gain third honors, 3 lengths behind Repose. *Land's Corner, who has not displayed his best this season, finished a tiring 5th, well in front of Laddie Boy, the early pace-setter. The winner's time over the rain-softened course was 7:53.

Having accounted for a turf test on Wednesday, Arthur E. Pew, Jr.'s "Fiery Torch" came back on Saturday to win the Laughlintown, featured hurdle event over 2 miles and 10 of the lesser obstacles. Winning by 2 lengths over R. J. Van Horn's Ring O'Roses, the David Dallas Odell-trained hurdler gave jockey F. D. "Dooley" Adams his 27th winner of the year over jumps. Harry M. Rhett, Jr.'s Port Call, pace-setter over the first 6 hurdles, finished 3rd in the race which was run in 4:10½ seconds.

Absent on a hunting trip in Alaska, Major General Richard K. Mellon was not present to see his good homebred, Chambour, score a consecutive victory over hurdles in the Baywood Purse. Leading over all 10 hurdles, the 3-year-old Rufi—Lettone gelding improved his position throughout to defeat John B. Merryman's Meadow Mint by an easy 6 lengths. The latter held Miss Mary Rumsey's Tall Mound safe by a 2½ lengths margin. Both Tall Mound and the winner, who covered the 1½ miles in 4:01 with James Murphy up, are trained by Sidney Watters, Jr.

Scoring his first victory as one of the Llangollen Farm trainers, Kent Miller sent out the homebred Tall Tree to win the Laurel Ridge, a 1 mile turf test which closed Saturday's program. Handled by Charles Harr, Tall Tree broke alertly from the inside post position and led all of the way to win by 1½ lengths in 1:39. The favored *Tico Tico, owned by Arthur E. Pew, Jr., finished 2nd with a 1½ length margin over Alfred M. Hunt's Homestake. Much interest in the race centered on Mrs. Vernon G. Cardy's Irish import, Manaos, who finished 6th after displaying early foot in his first start in this country.

While some 12,000 steeplechasing enthusiasts enjoyed cloudy and cool weather on Saturday, a lesser number braved the drizzle which made the course a bit slippery for Wednesday's sport. The highlight of the midweek racing was the Rolling Rock Hunt Cup and this 2 mile race over brush proved an easy one for the Llangollen Farm's The Proff with Dooley Adams in the saddle. Making his debut over brush, The Proff was rated just behind the leaders for the first mile. Improving his position on his own, he led the front-running Uncle Joe over the

13th and final jump by a nose. Responding to Adams on landing, the 4-year-old gelding moved away to win by 3½ lengths in 4:12½ seconds over a firm course that was slippery on the surface. Uncle Joe held Billing Bear safe for place honors by 4 lengths.

The event attracted 7 starters and Democles, winner of the Deep Run Hunt Cup for George W. Offutt, 3rd, this past spring, set the pace for 6 jumps. After going well over the 7th, jockey Harr headed his mount for the timber course. Upon realizing his mistake, Harr returned Democles to the brush course for "a school". Following a session with the Stewards after the race, Hass was handed a \$50 fine for his transgression.

Of the 6 starters in the A. M. Byers, 3rd, Cup, a 2½ mile timber race, only Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh, Jr.'s Dancing Beacon managed to complete the 15 fences without mishap. The first spill occurred over the 7th fence when Mrs. George L. Ohstrom's Bonne O'Conor came down with W. Bland, Jr., who remounted to eventually finish 3rd. Following this, the 15-year-old Tagnall, owned by Mrs. Clifford Smith, Jr., fell over the 8th with apprentice rider J. Wyatt. While running well in contention, M. H. Beams, Jr.'s Credo came down over the 12th with Grover Stephens. Running in 2nd position and pushing the eventual winner, Mrs. Marshall Exnicios' Laddie Boy lost D. M. "Mike" Smithwick over the 13th. Following this mishap, Laddie Boy bumped into George T. Weymouth's Star Salome, unseating Eugene Weymouth. The latter remounted to finish and gain place money, well distanced by the winner. Much farther back, Bonne O'Conor managed to complete the course within the time limit for 3rd money. Register-Continued On Page 9



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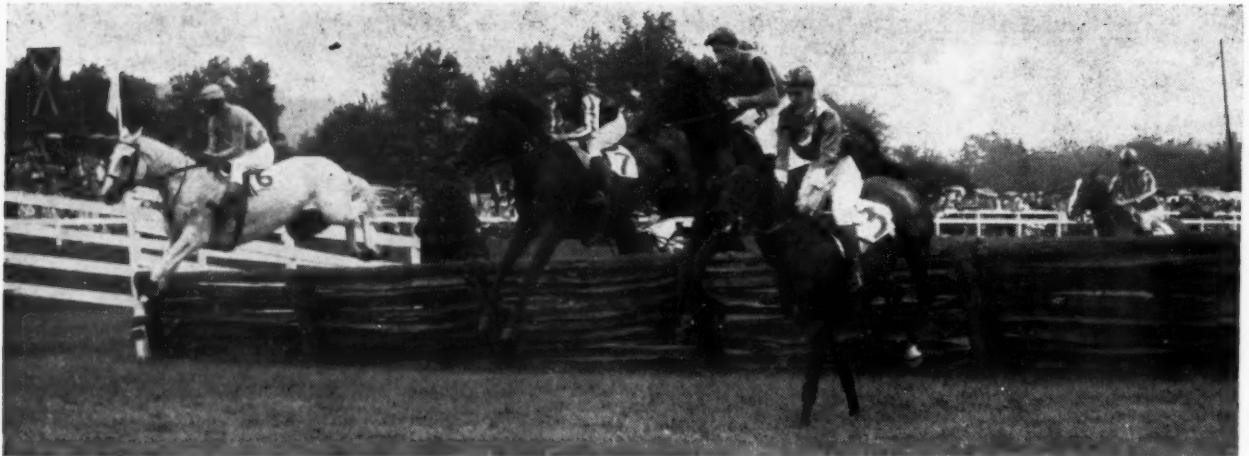
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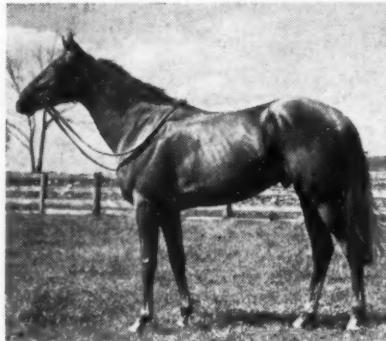


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The field in the A. M. BYERS III CUP over timber—I. to r: Mrs. G. L. Ohrstrom's grey Bonne O'Connor (finished 3rd); the winner Mrs. George P. Greenhalgh, Jr.'s DANCING BEACON (#7); G. T. Weymouth's Star Salome (2nd); M. H. Bearn, Jr.'s Crede (fell, 12th); and Mrs. M. Exnicios' Laddie Boy (lost rider, 13th). In the background is Mrs. C. A. Smith, Jr.'s Tagnall (fell, 8th).



(Hawkins Photo)
R. K. Mellon's home-bred CHAMBOURG won THE RECTOR on Oct. 5 and THE BAYWOOD on the 8th, both events over hurdles.



(Hawkins Photo)
A. E. Pew, Jr.'s handsome imported son of "Nasrullah, Fiery Torch won THE LIGONIER on the flat the first day, and then turned around on the 8th to win the hurdle feature of the afternoon, THE LAUGHINTOWN.



(Hawkins Photo)
THE WESTERN PA. HUNT CUP, the feature timber event, went to C. M. Cann's GALANT SHIP (right). Mrs. Exnicios' Laddie Boy (left) led until he broke down.



(Hawkins Photo)
The INTERNATIONAL GOLD CUP—the winner Mrs. M. G. Walsh's CRAG.



(Hawkins Photo)
The victorious trio in the winner's circle after the 19th running of the INTERNATIONAL GOLD CUP Steeplechase — Trainer M. G. Walsh (right), Mrs. M. G. Walsh's CRAG, and Jockey John Cotter.

Rolling Rock Hunt Races

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ing his 2nd win of the season over timber, the winner covered the 2½ miles and 15 fences in 5:42½ seconds under the guidance of Melvin Ferral. None of the fallen riders or horses were injured.

Fresh from two hurdle victories in New York, Alvin Untermyer's Morpheus made it 3 straight by winning the Malcolm McGiffin Cup at 2 miles over hurdles. Cleverly handled by F. D. "Dooley" Adams, the 3-year-old gelding was rated just off the pace-setting Ring O'Roses until the 10th and final hurdle had been negotiated. Responding when called upon in the stretch, Morpheus went on to win by a length. James F. McHugh's Jam picked up 3rd money, 8 lengths behind Ring O'Roses. Trouble was caused at the start as Donald B. Barrows' "Queer Wednesday" refused to break with the field. The latter eventually got off, but finished a distanced 6th and last in the race which was run in 4:03½.

Later to emulate his race on Saturday, Major General Richard K. Mellon's home-bred, Chambourc, broke from the maiden ranks by winning the Rector Purse, a 1½ mile test for maiden hurdlers. Handled by James Murphy, the gelding scored a decisive 8 lengths victory over Miss Mary Rumsey's Tall Mound. Llangollen Farm's Snow Bloom finished 3rd in the race run in 3:23½. Soon after the start, Stanchfield Wright's Unfaltering ducked out at the first hurdle unseating Charles

Harr. In the downhill run to join the field, the riderless horse bumped into Guilford Dudley, Jr.'s Here's Why, unseating Jack Glass, who lost a stirrup over the 2nd hurdle and was trying to regain it.

Having won two races over obstacles, Dooley Adams made it a triple for the day by winning the Ligonier Purse with Arthur E. Pew, Jr.'s Fiery Torch on the turf. Taking the lead immediately after the start, the pair led all of the way to score by 4 lengths in 1:34½ seconds. Night Mission and Regal Squire, both sporting Llangollen Farms silks, finished as named behind the winner. o

Rose Tree Races

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1½. Scratched: *Another Hyacinth, Snow Bloom, Ginny Bug, *Follies Bergere, Amy Robsart.

THE AUTUMN STAYER'S PLATE, abt. 1½ mi., 3 & up, al. flat. Purse, \$300. Net value to winner, \$185; 2nd: \$60; 3rd: \$30; 4th: \$15. Winner: b. g., 3, by Owen Tudor—*Mbhale, by Big Game. Trainer: K. Miller. Breeder: H. H. Aga Khan. Time: 2:47%.

1. *Regal Squire, (Llangollen Farm), 135, C. Harr.

2. Lethnot, (C. M. Kline), 133, E. Deveau.

3. *Tico Tico, (A. E. Pew, Jr.), 152, F. D. Adams.

6 started & finished; also ran (order of finish): J. G. Leiper, Jr.'s Blue Jack, 153, C. Connolly; W. H. Frantz' Amy Robsart, 144, M. Ferral; K. K. Manners' Big Shrew, 157, A. Dearstyn, Won by 2½; place by 5; show by 4. Scratched: *Kingale, Ripshot, French Field, Meadow Mint, Ring O'Roses, Hill Tie, Crag, Repose.

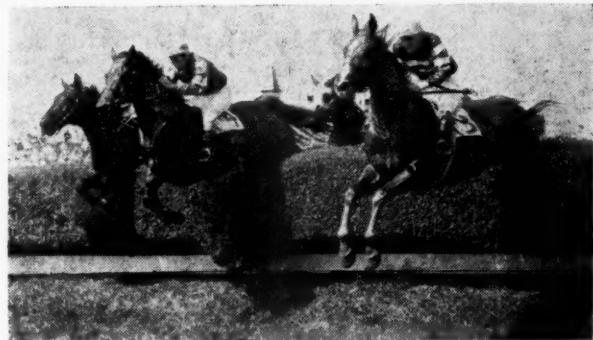
MORE ABOUT JENNETS

The lines by Marjorie McDonald regarding the breeding of Jennets have been read with great interest in Great Britain and quoted in our sporting Press. They refer specifically to the more recent application of the word 'jennet' to the ass tribe.

In early days, however, a Jennet was an eastern bred horse of the Arab & Barb type. They & their progeny played a part in the early days of English racing, and in the production & evolution of the Thoroughbred. In 1831 the Journal of the Royal Geographical Society, in an article on Morocco, stated: The pride of the Moor is his horse, an animal of great beauty. He has more stuff in him than the Andalusian jennet. His action & shape also differ. He does not raise his feet so high, neither does he pace. These horses stand 14 or 15h, and are of every colour, though black is not common. They have flowing mane and tail, which they never dock, but when young shave the tail, giving it an absurd appearance. They seldom ride them till 4 year olds. In the interior of the country a good horse may sometimes be bought for 100 Spanish dollars (20 gs), though with difficulty, and cannot be exported without an order from the emperor. . . . J. F. B.

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The Clubhouse Turn



Albert Thomas Dies

Albert W. Thomas, 70, owner and trainer for some 38 years, died recently of cancer at his Louisville farm after a 10-year illness.

Survivors include his wife and two daughters.

Adams Receives KTBA Award

Mrs. John Payson Adams, owner of Edenvale Farm, San Jose, Cal., was announced last week as recipient of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Breeders Association's annual Ladies' Sportmanship Award.

The presentation will be made at a KTBA dinner in Louisville on Nov. 5.

Curiosity Brings in a Spring

Many methods have been used to find new water resources, from science through "dowsing" to plain guesswork. But Homer Maybrier, owner of High View Farm, Georgetown, has uncovered a new technique: Curiosity.

He kept noticing water seeping from a little hill in the paddock nearest his residence. Curious, he brought in a bulldozer to get at the bottom of the mystery.

Now he has a bubbling permanent spring in the paddock, just where he has always wanted one.

Trotsek Inspects Stock

Harry Trotsek, Trainer for A. E. Reuben's Hasty House Farm, paid an inspection visit recently to the Hasty House stock turned out at Ray Ankenbauer's farm, Lexington, Ky.

Trainer Trotsek reported that he, Mr. Reuben and Jockey Johnny Adams are planning a stock-buying expedition to Europe in the near future.

The Hasty House conditioner also indicated that the stable's star filly Queen Hopeful, recent winner of the Yo Tam-bien Handicap at Hawthorne, will probably be retired to take up breeding duties next spring.

\$6,348 in Damages Awarded

A Jefferson County, Ky., Circuit Court jury last week awarded Gilbert Hardy, Lexington, Ind., jockey's agent, \$6,348 in damages in his suit against T. Allie Grissom, Detroit, Mich., stable owner.

The case grew out of a dispute at Churchill Downs in November, 1954, over who was to ride one of Mr. Grissom's horses.

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Reduction Sale: Brookmeade Farm, which has other mares of similar pedigrees, must sell these 12 to maintain its broodmare band at a fixed level and to accommodate fillies from the racing stable.

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#838, BIG MEAL, ch. 1939, by High Quest—Barn Swallow, by Black Servant. Winning dam of winners, daughter of Oaks winner. In foal to *Windy City II.

#839, BLACK CHIFFON, blk. 1946, by Good Goods—Yarrow Maid, by Cavalade. Winner, placed in stakes, half-sister to SW Oats. In foal to Sky Ship.

#841, DUTCH CUT, lt. br., 1943, by Brevity—*Volendam, by *Blenheim II. Winner, placed in stakes, dam of stakes-placed Dutch Lane. In foal to More Sun.

#842, FAIR RETURN, b. 1944, by *Blenheim II—Little Risk, by Stimulus. Dam of winners Sea Hero, Stradivarius (over \$20,000), out of SW, dam of \$100,000 SW.

#843, GRAND FLAME, br. 1938, by Grand Time—Flambola, by *Wrack. Dam of SW and sire, Grand Admiral, 2 stakes-placed horses. In foal to More Sun.

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#844, *MAID MARIAN, b. 1952, by Epigram—*Trapeze Artist II, by Pink Flower. In foal for first time to More Sun; daughter of English classic winner from The Duke's family.

#845, MAID OF HARLEM, ch. 1944, by Pompey—Harlem Belle, by The Porter. Winner, placed in stakes, dam of 3 winners; half-sister to SW Sky Miracle.

#846, TRICKS, b. 1940, by Psychic Bid—Chicotta, by *Chicle. Winning dam of 4 winners including stakes-placed Two Rainbows. In foal to *Arden.

#847, TWO RAINBOWS, b. 1948, by Sun Again—Tricks, by Psychic Bid. Winner, placed in stakes, earned \$29,450. Oldest foal is yearling.

#840, BLUE WARBLER, b. 1952, by Case Ace—L'Oiseau Beau, by *Hairan. In foal for first time to Knockdown; half-sister to 4 winners, 2 placed in stakes.

#849, WINDFALL, b. 1948, by *Sir Gallahad III—The Wind, by The Porter. Dam of 1955 2-year-old winner Pepito M.; The Wind is half-sister to \$100,000 winner Four Freedoms.

BROOKMEADE FARMS

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The Clubhouse Turn

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som's horses. Mr. Hardy had charged that Mr. Grissom struck him on the head with a pair of binoculars.

"Sunny Jim" Honored at TCA Dinner
James Edward Fitzsimmons, 81-year-old dean of American trainers, better known as "Sunny Jim" or "Mr. Fitz," was to be the honoree at the Thoroughbred Club of America's 24th annual Testimonial Dinner at Keeneland on Oct. 20. He is the first trainer to be so honored.

Sunny Jim has been working with horses for over 70 years, the last 60 as a trainer. He has saddled more winners of more races, more stakes and more money than any other conditioner in history.

Born in an area that later became the infield of the old Sheepshead Bay track, Mr. Fitz got his first job as a stable boy when he was not quite 11 years old. He began riding in 1889, but weight problems cut short his career as a jockey. He was on his way to apply for a streetcar-motorman's job in Philadelphia when a friend stopped him to tell of an opening for a trainer. Sunny Jim got the position, and has been at it ever since.

His clients, for most of whom he has trained for many years, include William Woodward's Belair Stud, Ogden Phipps, Mrs. Whitney Stone and Mrs. Henry Carnegie Phipps' Wheatley Stable.

With Belair's Nashua, and the Wheately pair of High Voltage and Misty Morn, among his current charges, Mr. Fitz is enjoying the best season of his venerable career. He has saddled such past stars as the "Triple Crown" captors Gallant Fox and his son Omaha, the Kentucky Derby scorer Johnstown, Diavolo, Dark Secret and his pet Dice. "The Sage of Sheepshead Bay" has prepped winners of practically every major stakes in the East, and has won many of them repeatedly.

But it is his personality that has won for him the respect and affection of the entire racing fraternity, to whom he has been a sort of kindly grandfather. Always willing to share the fruits of his experience and wisdom with any who seek his advice, as cheerful in defeat as he is modest in victory, he is the very embodiment of the noblest traditions of the sport.

—Frank Talmadge Phelps

Canadian Representative For Washington

Being trained for the Washington D. C. International by Noel Cannon at Druid's Lodge is the recent Canadian purchase Prefect, a 5-year-old entire by the Irish National Stud stallion Precipic out of the Nearco mare Sarie.

Prefect has won 7 races worth 18,300 dollars during his four seasons on the racecourse including the Chesterfield Cup at Goodwood and Ascot's Churchill Stakes this year.

He has certainly proved a most genuine and consistent performer during the present season, for he has won twice and been placed five times from seven starts, almost invariably carrying top weight.

Now the property of Atlanta Ranches, Calgary, he will find the 1½ miles of the Laurel Park race to his liking, but the result may prove that he just lacks that touch of class possessed by such as Panaslipper and Darius — though 12 furlongs is farther than the latter likes to go.

P. T.C.

Ray Bell's Yearling Purchases

Messrs Kerr & Company have disclosed that seven of their purchases at the recent Ballsbridge Sales were made on behalf of Ray Bell and are destined for California.

The highest price was paid for the grey filly by "Royal Charger" out of The Witch, coming of "Blenheim II's" family, who went for 10,000 dollars and is likely to carry the colours of Hugh Mann.

Another expensive yearling is the chestnut colt by the promising young stallion Luminary out of the Coup de Lyon mare Golden Beech, bought for 8,800 dollars. With every season Coup de Lyon is proving increasingly successful as a brood-mare sire, his best known matron probably being Crown Crest Farm's "Bray Melody."

A brown filly by Sayajirao cost 7,300 dollars and she is out of the Hyperion mare Hyphon, dam of 5 winners including "Rianco," now standing as a stallion in the Argentine.

The other yearlings are a brown colt by Windsor Slipper from Archduchess, who is a half-sister to last season's 39,000 dollar purchase "Glenleigh" colt

tations. A grand looking bay colt with plenty of bone and quality, he was backed down to 5-4 favourite and duly obliged in the easiest possible style, being never off the bit to win on his own by 5 lengths.

He will probably not run again this year but it looks certain that more will be heard of this American-bred youngster who cannot be far off the best 2-year-old in Britain.

P. T.C.

High Gun Retired

Trainer Max Hirsch last week announced the retirement of King Ranch's \$486,025 earner High Gun because of incipient suspensory trouble. The four-year-old son of "Heliopolis—Rocket Gun, three-quarters sister, by Brazado, to Stymie's dam, will enter stud next spring at Robert J. Kleberg, Jr.'s King Ranch Farm, Lexington.

A \$10,200 Keeneland yearling purchase by Trainer Hirsch for King Ranch, High Gun was unplaced only five times in two dozen starts. He won two of his three appearances at two; never failed to earn a piece of the purse in 14 efforts at three, when he was voted the best of his age; and has been first or second in five of seven attempts this



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Representatives of The Greater New York Assn Inc. which took over the operation of Belmont Park, eventual headquarters for New York racing. (L. to r.)—Harry F. Guggenheim, Trustee; George D. Widener, Honorary Chairman; John W. Hanes, President of the Board of Trustees; Boylston A. Tompkins, President of the Administrative Division; and Christopher T. Chenery, Trustee.

by Abernant—Queenpot, a chestnut gelding by Maharaj Kumar out of Anne's Port, a grey daughter of Grey Sovereign and finally a brown filly by "The Pie King's" sire The Solicitor out of Merlette.

P. T.C.

Son of Citation

For many weeks rumour had been going the rounds of the race-tracks that trainer Cecil Boyd Rochfort housed a particularly smart two-year-old at Free-mason Lodge called In Despatches, the property of American Robert J. Kleberg.

Naturally great interest was aroused therefore when the colt put in a first appearance when he contested the Duke of Edinburgh Stakes at Ascot over 6 furlongs, a race worth 4,200 dollars for horses that had not run prior to July the 5th.

For breeding enthusiasts In Despatches had the added attraction of being the first produce of Citation in Britain. Out of the "Blenheim II" mare Emblem, he was bred by his owner and joined "The Captain's" string this summer.

Nor did he fail to live up to expec-

season, with a fine chance at the handicap crown in the year-end polls. His victories include the Belmont and Dwyer Stakes, Jockey Club Gold Cup, Peter Pan, Manhattan, Metropolitan and Brooklyn Handicaps, and two runnings of the Sysonby Stakes.

Prefect Joins International Field

Prefect, a two-time winner this season who hasn't been worse than third in seven 1955 engagements, today became the fourth member of the classic field being assembled for the Washington D. C. International turf race at Laurel on November 11. He will represent Canada, making four countries seeking Maryland's global prize.

America will have Traffic Judge; England, Darius; and Ireland, Panaslipper, all winners of races of prime importance in their native lands. Others will be added within the next few weeks to this sporting autumn championship event.

Prefect will join Darius as a two-pronged effort by members of the British Empire to wrest away the title now held by Uncle Sam through Fisherman's 1954 victory.

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The Clubhouse Turn

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The 5-year-old brown horse by Precipice—Sarie by Nearco is owned by the Alberta Ranches, Ltd., of Calgary, Alberta, and was purchased in England with the Laurel classic as the main intent.

Following the participation of Indian Hemp in the first Laurel International in 1952, Max Bell, Frank McMahon and Wilder Ripley, who form Alberta Ranches, Ltd. have had a strong desire to again see Canadian colors represented in Laurel's world-famous event but until this year have not had a horse of the necessary classic calibre.

Alberta was certain it had such a candidate in St. Vincent but when it was apparent he was not going to recover from an early season injury and was destined for retirement, a horse was sought to meet the rigid requirements demanded of Laurel International invitees. The answer was found in Prefect, even if the trio of Canadians had to go to the mother country to find it.

This is borne out by the fact that leading English rating systems put Darius at 130 pounds and Prefect at 129, placing the two horses virtually even.

Bell has notified Laurel officials that Prefect will remain in England under the care of Noel Cannon, British trainer, and will fly to Laurel with the other International starters shortly before the Veteran's Day race. He will be trained at Laurel by Vance Longden, Alberta's capable conditioner.

As a juvenile, Prefect won the Linton Stakes at Newmarket in four starts. His three-year-old record was highlighted by victories in the Raymer Stakes at Newbury and the Larkhill Handicap at Salisbury. Last year, he returned to Salisbury to win the Bibury Cup and capped his campaign with an easy score in the famed Chesterfield Cup at Goodwood. This season, his steady improvement resulted in a brilliant victory in the Churchill Stakes at Ascot and the Sandown Park Anniversary Handicap in addition to three seconds and two thirds against the best in the handicap division.

Gallawrake Sold

John Holliday, owner of Holliday Farm Edmond, Oklahoma, announced today that he had sold his 3-year-old colt, Gallawrake (Gallahadion — Maxalee by *Wrack) to S. L. Garland, Dallas, Texas, owner, whose racing unit has recently been at Hazel Park.

Holliday will van the colt to Keene-land. He has been in light training for several months, and is about 30 to 40 days away from racing. Holliday, who has been high on this colt since he was foaled, sent him to Caliente at 2, but the youngster took sick and his owner returned him to the Sooner State, where he quickly recovered.

Holliday, who stands Bud Burmester's stallion Lucky Oscar at his place, is also handling books for the veteran Islam and the newcomer Battle H. He secured the latter horse from his neighbors, the Harper family. — B. B.

The Temper of Thoroughbreds

I had an interesting chat last week with one or two old hands at the racing game. The subject turned to the temper of Thoroughbreds of today as compared to those of fifty or sixty years ago. A veteran trainer expressed the opinion that in view of the way boys ride today they would not be able to stay in the saddle five minutes if blood 'uns were as difficult to deal with as they were when he was young. Others with many years experience agreed, but none of them could offer any satisfactory explanation as to why the character of racehorses has changed from savagery to

comparative docility. There are, of course, exceptions to the rule today.

I know the Great Britain Jockey Club Starter, is of the opinion that fear of the starting gate, of cars and other things which terrified Thoroughbreds twenty years ago, has now been bred out of them. It may be that some of the known "hot" and vicious lines have been avoided, and it may also be that racehorses are treated with less severity nowadays than formerly. Some of the old school of trainers not only gave the animals under their charge much more work, but also firmly held the opinion that the man on top, and the lad who "did" each horse in his stable must be supreme "boss", even though he had to give some horses severe "hidings". It was this which soured many racehorses and turned them into savages. There is no doubt that today blood 'uns are treated with much more kindness, understanding and quietness. There is now none of the yelling and cursing we used to hear at stable-time at training quarters. I am inclined to think all this is partly responsible for the altered character and temper of Thoroughbreds. — J. F. B.

Change Works Miracles

John U. Baillie, a British owner of a three-quarter brother to *Royal Charger, was having no luck with the horse. One day his Trainer suggested sending him to Baillie's steeplechase trainer for a try over hurdles. The horse took to it like a duck to water, and won his first race over obstacles—then turned around and won two good races on the flat. A change can work miracles.

Ataturk

Ataturk, the leading older or handicap horse in Germany, today became the fifth member of the field being assembled for the classic Washington D. C. International turf race at Laurel on Friday, November 11 (Veteran's Day).

A dark brown four-year-old by Ticino — Arian, Ataturk's all-around consistency throughout the year resulted in an invitation being extended to Baron Henry Thyssen, owner of the fabulous Gestudt Erlenhof of Dortmund, to fly his colt to Laurel by Laurel President John D. Schapiro and his International Committee. The bid was accepted.

Ataturk's official entry brings to five the number of countries to be represented. The others are United States (Traffic Judge), Ireland (Panaslipper), England (Darius) and Canada (Prefect). Still to be included are top thoroughbreds from France and South America plus others from the U. S. A., England and possibly Italy.

Baron Thyssen's trainer and overseer of his vast breeding and training center adjacent to the Dortmund race course is Arian von Borcke, internationally-known horseman and an amateur rider of note in his younger days. Both Baron Thyssen and von Borcke were present at Laurel during the running of the first Washington International in 1952 when their lanky Niederlander wound up a close fourth to Wilwyn, Ruhe and Zuchero. His performance drew acclaim from Ovie Scurlock, the American jockey who rode him, and scores of horsemen in attendance.

Ataturk's jockey at Laurel probably will be the veteran Otto Langner, first string rider for Trainer von Borcke.

In seven starts this season, the big four-year-old won the Jubiläums Preis at Cologne on May 15, beating Stani among others; the Golden Peitsche at Baden-Baden on August 21, his victims including Baal, last year's champion; and the Lopenger Prize, rich mile and a half international event staged at Stockholm, Sweden, on September 11.

At Stockholm, he decisively whipped Stani, the six-year-old which had account-

ed for the Grosser Prize von Baden on August 28. Ataturk was third in this one, being beaten a length and a half, the colt has been in the money all year.

J. Gilbert Haus Named TRA Selection Board Chairman

J. Gilbert Haus, racing secretary at Delaware Park and Randall Park, has been named by the TRA Board of Directors as Chairman of the 1955 Board of Selection which will name the Champion horses of the year, Spencer J. Drayton, executive secretary of TRA, announced today.

A life-time association with Thoroughbred racing began for Mr. Haus at Pimlico and he has since officiated in such capacities as patrol judge, placing judge, racing secretary or steward at all of the Maryland tracks. Mr. Haus filled similar official positions at Delaware Park prior to his appointment as racing secretary at the Stanton course in 1945. He has been associated with Randall Park since its purchase by Saul Silberman in 1950. Mr. Haus is also active in Hunt racing and has served as an official at almost every Hunt meeting in the country in the past 20 years.

The TRA Board of Selection, made up of the 22 racing secretaries at the 40 member race tracks of Thoroughbred Racing Associations, was established by the national group in 1949 after conflicting polls had produced two claimants to the title "horse of the year," in Calumet Farm's Coaltown and Greentree Stable's Capot.

Jockey Elliott

"Who is this Bill Elliott?" Perhaps you have asked yourself that question as you have read of some winner in England owned by J. H. Whitney, A. G. Vanderbilt or Robert Sterling Clark that was ridden by him. Elliott now in his late thirties is the 'cinderella' jockey of the English Turf. Two years ago he was virtually unknown even to the racing public over there. Even since coming out of the Royal Air Force at the end of the War he had found it a tough task getting rides and if he averaged five winners a year that was just fine.

Elliott's big chance came in the City and Suburban Handicap at Epsom in the Spring of 1954. Lester Piggott, who had been booked to ride a horse named Sunray Brae in the race, got himself suspended the day before, so Elliott the only other jockey who could manage him either at home or on the racecourse was engaged as substitute rider. He grabbed hold of his chance with both hands, beating Sir Gordon Richards on the favorite Sailing Light after making all the running.

Since then Elliott has never looked back. He landed the "plum" job of contract rider for Gerald Balding's stable at the start of the 1955 campaign and has booted home a number of big stakes winners, mostly for the aforementioned owners and ex Gaiety Girl Mrs. Camille Evans. — "Manna".

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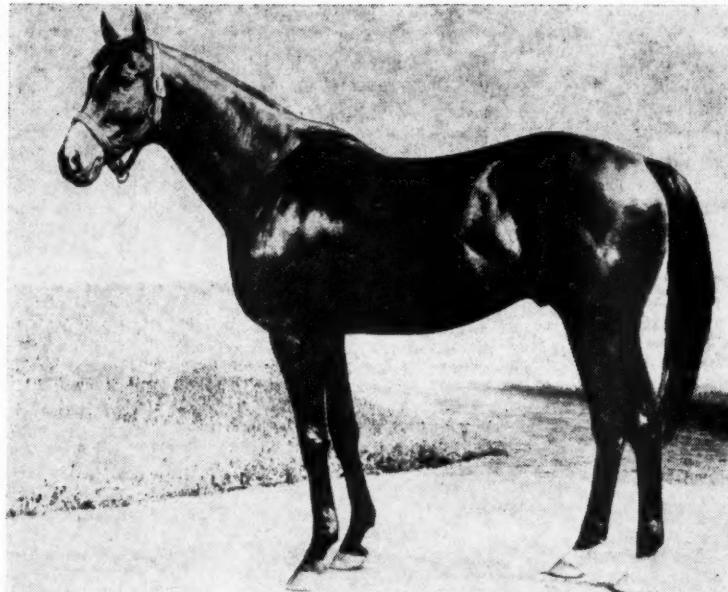
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News from the STUDS

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Pony Imports

Bud Burmester motored to Lampasas, Oct. 9th with the Robert D. Goodrich family to witness the unloading of almost 20 registered Welsh ponies, bought abroad by Mr. Goodrich, and shipped to the United States by sea, thence on to the Goodrich ranch here in two of Tommy Thompson's horse vans. There were four well bred sires, some 13 mares and several foals in the consignment which travelled by easy stages to the ranch.

The ponies, representing the cream of the Welsh breeding groups in the British Isles, lost no time in getting acquainted with Texas sunshine and grass after unloading and to look at them one would never think they had been on the road over two weeks. Goodrich plans to add more mares and to this end probably will fly to Wales before the Christmas holidays.

White String Doing Well

After a long time, plus considerable expense, G. Rollie White, famed McCullough County Thoroughbred enthusiast and breeder, came up with a top horse in Trim Destiny last Spring. His 2-year-olds now at the races are doing splendidly under the direction of Trainer Cecil Locklear. If one is permitted a glance at the 14 imposing yearlings Jack Locklear has under his supervision at the Brairy race course, it might be readily understood why White and his colleagues are looking forward to a continuation of the salad years now within reach.

Every one of the 14, most of them by his home sire, Challadroit, full brother to Challedon, which he secured from the Brann Estate, is a standout and few judges of top horseflesh care to make a selection as all of them are without fault. Some are by Lou Moud, White's home grown sire, by the famous *Mahmoud out of Texas Louise by Sporting Blood, but it is the gradual development of Challadroit that has pleased the Brady philanthropist, banker and stockman best of all.

In addition to the yearling, Mr. White found himself with a small surplus of

older horses and announced that he will sell some reasonably.

OKLAHOMA

Sandy Loam to Holliday Farm

H. H. Miller, Luzerne, Mich. horseman, en route to California with Mrs. Evelyn Miller, stopped off at Edmond, Oklahoma, long enough to complete a deal with John Holliday for the mare Sandy Loam. Miller has been watching for a spot to retire the California-bred mare, and found it when he looked in on Holliday's farm. Another prime factor was the fact Holliday has Lucky Oscar (Easy Mon—Nectarine by *Bull Dog) at stud and Miller likes this proposed mating.

Helioptic on Display

J. Foster Smith, well known Tulsa breeder and owner, proudly displayed his crack stallion, Helioptic (*Heliopolis—Sun Celtic, by *Sun Briar) Sunday, Oct. 2nd to a group of North Oklahoma horsemen. Included among the visitors was Dr. Harry A. Burns, Tulsa enthusiast, who recently raced two Royal Ford colts in the middle West.

KENTUCKY

Rare Treat's Half Sister

George D. Widener has a weanling half sister, by *Mahmoud, to Rare Treat, the Stymie filly who recently surprised in the \$25,000-added Jersey Belle Stakes, at his Old Kenney Farm, Lexington. The dam, Scent's half sister Fragrance, an Eight Thirty mare who accounted for the 1949 Fashion and Autumn Day Stakes herself, was bred to Polynesian last spring.

Hedgewood Sextet

Charles A. Asbury and Son's Hedgewood Farm, Lexington, has consigned to the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales colts by *Coastal Traffic and Greek Song; and fillies by Blue Swords, Challedon, Fighting Fox and Revoked.

The Blue Swords filly's dam is Smart Trick, winner of the Prairie State Stakes, Hawthorne Autumn and Beverly Handicaps.

Brookdale Yearlings

Thomas Piatt's Brookdale Farm, Lexington, will offer the largest consignment at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales. It includes three colts and a filly by Escadru, two sons and a daughter of Alorter, two Piet colts, a son and daughter of Third Degree, a Lees Boy colt and a Curandero filly.

Another Alorter colt and a Lees Boy filly will be sold in partnership by Mr. Piatt and Guther Sharpe.

Breakaway Pair

Russell Porter's Breakaway Farm, Paris, will sell a Daily Dip colt and a Hannibal filly at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Turfland Yearlings

Thomas A. Rankin's Turfland Farm, Versailles, will offer a Pinebloom filly at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

A Faultless colt has been consigned in partnership by Mr. Rankin and Douglas T. Geddes.

Avon Colt

Laurence Simpson, Jr.'s Avon Farm, Lexington, will sell a half brother, by Tiger, to Miss Stephanie at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Brent's Yearlings

Ned W. Brent's Monterey Farm, Lexington, will offer three Tiger Rebel colts and a son of Triplicate at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Another Tiger Rebel colt has been consigned in partnership by Mr. Brent and W. G. Talbot, owner of Mt. Lebanon Farm, Paris.

Creekview Octet

Tollie Young's Creekview Farm, Paris, will sell at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales colts by Arise and Triplicate; fillies by Challenge Me, Hannibal, Mighty Story, Quick Reward and The Dude; and a Wine List gelding.

Buck Run Quartet

Buck Run Farm, the Versailles establishment recently sold by F. E. Morancy to Jess Curry, has consigned to the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales a Daily Dip colt; and fillies by Challenge Me, Eternal Reward and Rising Star.

Clay's Breeding Stock

Charlton Clay, owner of Marchmont Farm, Paris, will sell three brood mares and a 2-year-old at the Keeneland Fall Breeding-Stock Sales.

Daughters of Count Fleet, *Easton and Polynesian, the mares have been bred to Hannibal, Some Chance and Tiger. The juvenile is a Mighty Story filly.

Goodwin's Fillies

William I. Goodwin, Lexington, has consigned a Papa Redbird yearling filly, Continued On Page 15



(Morgan Photo)

Fifteen went postward in the \$50,000 added FUTURITY at Belmont Park, giving the winner a rich \$100,425 net value purse for the 6½ furlong event. Mrs. A. A. Bigelow's NAIL scored by a 1¼ lengths over C. V. Whitney's Head Man, with Barclay Stable's Polly's Jet coming in 3rd and Elmendorf's Prince John 4th. NAIL is a grey colt by *Nirgal—No Strings, by Occupation, and was bred by H. H. Knight.

News From the Studs

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and weanling fillies by Buy and Sell and Charlie McAdam, to the Keeneland Fall Sales.

Shadyside Offerings

John B. Randolph's Shadyside Farm, Lexington, will offer three yearlings, a broodmare and a 2-year-old at the Keeneland Fall Sales.

Among the yearlings are a Fighting Fox colt, and fillies by Pictor and *Watting Street.

The mare, a daughter of Bimelech, is in foal to Great Circle.

Mr. Randolph's juvenile is a Black Tarquin filly.

Walden's Quartet

W. J. Walden, owner of Shadowlawn Farm, Midway, will sell colts by Pinebloom and Super Duper, and fillies by Flying Wasp and Tiger, at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Gay's Quartet

A. B. Gay, owner of Lanark Farm, Spring Station, has consigned to the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales a *Rico Monte colt, and fillies by Bimelech, Depth Charge and *Talon.

The Gay yearlings are being broken at Keeneland.

Greentree Offerings

Greentree Stud, Inc., Lexington, will sell nine yearlings and four broodmares at the Keeneland Fall Sales.

Among the yearlings are two colts and a filly by Devil Diver; sons of Better Self, Bimelech, Menow, My Request and Ponder; and an Amphitheatre miss. The Better Self colt, a twin, is a half brother to Indian Legend, and the sons of Menow and Ponder are half brothers, respectively, to Maharajah and Star Bout.

The mares are daughters of Amphitheatre, Persian Gulf, Rustom Pasha and Third Degree. Three of the quartet are in foal to Guillotine, One Hitter and Shut Out.

My Request Moved

Mrs. Ben F. Whitaker last week transferred her young stallion My Request from Dr. Horace Davis' Bluegrass Heights Farm, Lexington, to Leslie Combs II's Spendthrift Farm, where the \$385,495 earner joins his sire Requested in the stud barn.

Bashford Manor Trio

Charles W. Jones' Bashford Manor Farm, Louisville, has consigned colts by Mighty Story and *Royal Gem II to the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Another son of *Royal Gem II will be offered by Mrs. Jones as Agent for Mrs. Phyllis McBride.

Robinson's Quintet

William B. Robinson, Lexington, will sell at the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales a Count Domino colt; fillies by Carrara Marble, Mr. Trouble and Stone Age; and a miss listed as by Coldstream or *Hierocles.

Hiddenaway Trio

C. E. Buckley's Hiddenaway Farm, Lexington, has consigned colts by Bolero and Faultless, and a Ky. Colonel filly, to the Keeneland Fall Yearling Sales.

Head Man's Half Sister Dies

C. V. Whitney's yearling half sister, by Phalanx, to Head Man, stakes winner and second in the Futurity, dropped dead recently at the Whitney Farm, Lexington.

Evening Out Retired

Mrs. George D. Widener, whose husband owns Old Kenney Farm, Lexington, has retired the \$214,360 earner Evening Out to take up broodmare duties next

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spring. It is reported she will be bred to the good stakes winner Battlefield.

The daughter of Shut Out—Evening Belle, by Eight Thirty, has won 11 of her 21 starts, including the Fashion, Schuylerville, Spinaway and Matron Stakes, Monmouth Oaks, Regret Handicap and the filly division of the National Stallion Stakes. She was the best juvenile filly of her season, when her only loss in six efforts came against the males in the Belmont Futurity. At three, despite a bad knee and injuries suffered when she poked her foot through her stall screen, she took four of her eight appearances and was unplaced but once.

High Gun's Book Full

The recently retired High Gun has a full book at a stud fee of \$5,000 for approved mares. The son of *Heliopolis—Rocket Gun, by Brazado, will stand at Robert J. Kleberg, Jr.'s King Ranch Farm, Lexington.

Mare's Nest Residence for Sale

Leslie Combs II and John W. Hanes, owners of Mare's Nest Stud, Inc., Lexington, are offering for sale the farm's residence and the acreage immediately around it.

Faultless For Private Sale

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Markey arrived last week for their annual autumn visit to Mrs. Markey's Calumet Farm, Lexington.

While in Kentucky, Mrs. Markey hopes to arrange for the private sale of the Calumet stallion Faultless.

This 11-year-old son of Bull Lea out of the stakes winner Unerring, by Insco, won the Flamingo, Blue Grass, Derby Trial, Preakness and Withers Stakes, Gallant Fox and Tropical Handicaps, and \$304,945.

He has sired the stakes winners Fault Free, Go Lightly, My Fault and Ben A. Jones.

Double for Stallion Station Stallions

Stallions standing at Lou P. Doherty's Stallion Station, Lexington, sired the winners of both \$15,000-added stakes decided on a recent Wednesday.

At Atlantic City, Mrs. Irving Gushen's 3-year-old colt Star Rover, by *Flushing II, licked his elders in the 7-furlong Longport Handicap.

And at Hawthorne on the same day, Hasty House Farm's 4-year-old filly Queen Hopeful, by Roman, toted top weight to a triumph in the 6 1/2-furlong Yo Tambien Handicap.

Mare's Rest Stock for Private Sale

Joe C. Metz's Mare's Rest Farm, Lexington, is offering for private sale seven in-foal mares and nine weanlings.

Among the mares are the Portola Handicap winner Family Pride (in foal to Spy Song), the Mayflower Stakes captor I'm Marie (Crafty Admiral), the Demoiselle captor O'Alison (Roman), the Gulfstream Turf Club Dinner scorer Sherry Jen (Hill Prince) and the George Woolf Memorial tallier Tuonine (Crafty Admiral).

Mark-Ye-Well's Fee

The stud fee for Calumet Farms' Mark-Ye-Well has been set at \$3,500 live foal, and the \$581,910 earner already has a full book. He arrived last week at Mrs. Gene Markey's Lexington nursery to be readied for his initial stud season.

—Frank Talmadge Phelps

Royal Coinage to Stallion Station

Trainer A. Pupino announced that Royal Coinage is to be placed in the stud at the Stallion Station at Lexington, Kentucky. The very fast son of Eight Thirty, out of the great race mare Canina by *Bull Dog, retired because of an injury to a foot suffered in last year's Belmont Futurity, when he was

narrowly beaten by Nashua and Summer Tan.

A length and three quarters and a couple of heads were all that separated Royal Coinage from a perfect season in 1954. As it was he won five of eight starts, three of them stakes, and \$70,725. He was placed at 124 pounds, behind Summer Tan (128) and Nashua (127) in the Experimental Free Handicap.

Foaled at Mereworth Farm on March 16, 1952, Royal Coinage was sold privately to Clearwater Stable, owned by Frank Leatherbury and Edward Roberts of Mobile, Alabama.

The colt was a maiden for only the 1:06 1/2 it took him to romp 5 1/2 furlongs at Aqueduct on June 19, winning by nine lengths. His next start was the 64th running of the Great American Stakes at Aqueduct on June 30, and again he led all the way and won by better than two lengths from Laugh, Dark Ruler, and four others.

Royal Coinage upset an unbeaten colt in the Sapling at Monmouth Park on August 9, when he beat Royal Note, Impromptu, and two others in 1:11 on a sloppy six furlongs.

Five days later in the Saratoga Special Royal Coinage and C. V. Whitney's Pyrenees put on a stretch duel which had the throng gasping. The lead changed noses at least three times in the run to the wire where Royal Coinage got the verdict. Two lengths back Summer Tan was third twelve lengths in front of three others. In the Anticipation Purse, a prep for the Belmont Futurity, Royal Coinage was beaten by a length by Nashua at level weight, and in the Futurity he was third but right in the photo-finish with Nashua and Summer Tan.

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PLACE: Denver, Colorado.

TIME: Sept. 10-11.

JUDGE: Col. G. W. West.

OPEN HUNTER CH: (A): Royal Salute.

Sandy Phipps.

RES.: (tied) Star Quest, Dion Dana, Booger Red, Karen Phipps.

MAIDEN HUNTER CH: (B): Mighty Nice, Broadmoor Stables.

RES.: Malvern, Broadmoor Stables.

HIGH POINT CH: Royal Salute, Sandy Phipps.

RES.: Mighty Nice, Broadmoor Stables.

SUMMARIES

Horsemanship over jumps—1. Sandy Phipps; 2. Marissa Ruhtenberg; 3. Susan Dukes; 4. Patricia Bolton.

Children's hacks—1. Shoe Gin, Arapahoe Riding Club; 2. Rex, Arapahoe Riding Club; 3. Royal Refusal, Caro McMurtry; 4. Jackie, Arapahoe Riding Club.

Handy working hunter, div. a—1. Trail Blazer, Carol Fraser; 2. Booger Red, Karen Phipps; 3. Sky Chief, Sandy Phipps; 4. Irish Mick, Susan Dukes.

Novice horsemanship—1. Carol Hayden; 2. Carol McMurtry; 3. Betty Jane McCullough; 4. Cynthia Freeman.

Advanced horsemanship—1. Sandy Phipps; 2. Marissa Ruhtenberg; 3. Marta Phipps; 4. Ellie Crockett.

F. E. I. open jumping—1. Trail Guide, Carol Fraser; 2. Red Buttons, Don Myerson; 3. Star Quest, Dion Dana; 4. Tonawanda, Broadmoor Stables.

Handy working hunter, div. b — 1. Lucky Chance, Bini Heise; 2. Mighty Nice, Broadmoor Stables; 3. Powder River, Arapahoe Riding Club; 4. Malvern, Broadmoor Stables.

Quick decision jumping—1. Red Buttons; 2. Sea Hero, Ray Wallen; 3. Irish Mick; 4. Star Quest.

Working hunter hack, div. a—1. Royal Salute; 2. Star Quest; 3. Booger Red; 4. Navy Chief, Sherry McMurtry.

Open working hunter, div. b—1. Malvern; 2. Mighty Nice; 3. Pickering, Broadmoor Stables; 4. Gailant Lover.

Open working hunter, div. a—1. Royal Salute; 2. Star Quest; 3. Sky Chief; 4. Booger Red.

Working hunter hack, div. b—1. Mighty Nice; 2. Gailant Lover; 3. Powder River; 4. Pickering.

Teams of three hunters tandem—1. Pickering, Tonawanda, Mighty Nice; 2. Star Quest, Sea Hero, Juan, Jan Karabin; 3. Powder River, Irish Mick, Prairie Post, Arapahoe Riding Club.

Lawrence C. Phipps perpetual team trophy—1. Arapahoe Riding Club, Royal Salute, Sandy Phipps, Navy Chief, Sherry McMurtry; Booger Red, Karen Phipps.

Bilwin trophy—1. Susan Dukes; 2. Sherry McMurtry.

Schreperman memorial trophy — 1. Sandy Phipps; 2. Susan Dukes; 3. Sherry McMurtry; 4. Karen Phipps; 5. Marta Phipps.

Big Goose

CORRESPONDENT
WOLF

PLACE: Sheridan, Wyoming.

TIME: August 28.

JUDGE: Burton Brewster.

SUMMARIES

Pleasure horse—1. Frosty Moon, Amanda Schiffer; 2. Marianne, Lois Ann Cox; 3. Marianne, Lois Ann Cox; 4. Skipper, Dave Carnahan. Horsemanship, 17 and under—1. Alida Sage; 2. Amanda Schiffer; 3. Kendy Schiffer; 4. Jennifer Smith.

Leadrein—1. Mindy Gray; 2. Rose Hillman; 3. Billy Ferguson; 4. Don Schiffer.

Childrens pony 14 hands and under—1. Lightening, William Eaton; 2. Windy, Darrel Christensen; 3. Lady Bug, Don Schiffer; 4. Midnight, Don King.

Reining class—1. Snooks, William Eaton; 2. Rend, William Eaton; 3. What's It, Kendy Schiffer; 4. Veinte, Leonard Graham.

Potato race—1. Darrel Christensen; 2. Jeneson Smith; 3. Jimmy Modes; 4. Lois Ann Cox.

Potato race, 12-17—1. Charles Clark; 2. Sandra Carnahan; 3. Kendy Schiffer; 4. Don deJarnett.

Bending race, 11 and under—1. Darrel Christensen; 2. Jimmy Taylor; 3. Cathy Hosford.

Bending race, 12-17—1. Don deJarnett; 2. Frank Eaton; 3. Button Garrett.

Ribbon race, 12-17—1. Frank Eaton, Don deJarnett; 2. Alida Sage, Button Garrett; 3. Amanda Schiffer, Kendy Schiffer.

Ribbon race, 11 and under—1. John Schiffer, Bill King; 2. Cathy Hosford, Jim Taylor; 3. Willis Wood, Bill Shackford.

Clover leaf race—1. Charles Clark; 2. Frank Eaton; 3. Don deJarnett; 4. Alida Sage.

Pop race—1. Patty Ferguson; 2. Billy King; 3. Jennison Smith; 4. Jimmy Taylor.

Open jumping—1. Snowball, Amery Roberts; 2. Barbara Moon, Amanda Schiffer; 3. Mac Julie Sage; 4. Captain Storm, Alida Sage.

Canadian National

Breeding classes at the recent Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto, were up in entries and these were of very good quality. The segregation of half-breds from Canadian Hunters has proved most desirable and there were about equal number of entries in both sections.

Greatest interest was focused in the 3-yr-olds, as from the C. N. E. collection will probably come the winner of the Governor General's Cup at the Royal Winter Fair in November. The winner was General A. C. Spencer's brown filly Bonnie-Tyee. A big filly, full of quality and surely very close to Thoroughbred, she is by Sagalie Tyee and was bred by Fraser McFarlane, Ailsa Craig, Ontario. There were some nice colts behind her too, so we can look for an interesting class for the Governor General's Cup.

Another Sagalie Tyee won the yearling Canadian Hunter. This was Dr. James Bovaird's Sugar. The half-bred yearling class went to Dick Day's War Rebel by War Doe. The latter stallion won the Canadian Hunter stallion class; while Sagalie Tyee's entry won the get of sire event.

Both hunter sections were judged by Farrel Vincent and Fraser McFarlane.

Grand Champion stallion was On Board by Omaha, owned by Ted Kennedy of Maple Leaf Hockey Team fame. Reserve was Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Chassels' War Doe. Grand champion mare was Jack Loughry's broodmare Bella Flora by Display. Reserve was L. C. Scott's yearling filly Seareel.

CORRESPONDENT
BROADVIEW

PLACE: Toronto, Canada.

TIME: Aug. 26—Sept. 10.

JUDGES: Farrel Vincent, Fraser McFarlane.

BEST STALLION: On Board, Ted Kennedy.

RES.: War Doe, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Chassels.

BEST MARE: Bella Flora, Jack Loughry.

RES.: Seareel, L. C. Scott.

SUMMARIES

Half-breds, yearling colt or filly, suitable to become hunters—1. War Rebel, James R. Day; 2. Senator, Alden Craven; 3. Morning Glory, Major G. W. Taylor; 4. Topmost, Mrs. C. C. Mann.

2-yr-old gelding or mare—1. Reno Crescent, Mrs. C. C. Mann; 2. Coronation Beth, Major G. W. Taylor; 3. Speareess, Sam Stanley.

3-yr-old gelding or mare—1. Bonnie-Tyee, A. C. Spencer; 2. Maizes' First, Mrs. C. C. Mann; 3. Lucky Strike, Dick Day; 4. Wynmore, Dr. James Bovaird.

Broodmare, owned in Canada with 1955 foal by side—1. Nancy, Alden Craven; 2. Painted Doll, Patricia Laurie; 3. Topsail, Mrs. C. C. Mann; 4. Huntress, Sam Stanley.

Half-bred foal sired by stallion approved by Canadian Hunter and Light Horse Improvement Society—1. Marbell Silver Mist, Stewart M. Bell; 2. Marbell Snapshot, Stewart M. Bell; 3. Winsome Glory, Major G. W. Taylor; 4. War Paint, Patricia Laurie.

Canadian hunters 1957 Futurity stake—1. Sugar, Dr. J. Bovaird; 2. War Rebel, James R. Day; 3. Galaway, Alden Craven; 4. Seareel, L. C. Scott; 5. Country Doctor, Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Robson; 6. Miss Illderton, Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Robson.

Canadian hunters—1. Rusticus, J. L. Grosch; 2. Miss Winsome, Dr. James Bovaird; 3. Gunner, J. M. Pocock; 4. Coronation Beth, Major G. W. Taylor.

Canadian hunters, colt, gelding or filly foaled in 1952—1. Bonnie Tyee, A. C. Spencer; 2. Sapphire, J. L. Grosch; 3. Maryland, L. C. Scott; 4. Eaton Hall Appolo, Lady Eaton.

Broodmare with foal by her side—1. Starlight 3rd, W. R. Elgie; 2. Wendy, Alden Craven; 3. April Showers, Alden Craven; 4. Penny Post, Sam Stanley.

Foal of '55—1. Tyker, Alden Craven; 2. Junior, G. C. Rundell; 3. Wenarn, Alden Craven; 4. Stardust, W. R. Elgie.

Yearling, colt, gelding or filly—1. Sugar; 2. Galaway; 3. Seareel; 4. Country Doctor.

Two animals recorded in Canadian Hunter Stud Book—1. Entry, James Bovaird; 2. Entry, G. C. Rundell; 3. Entry, Alden Craven; 4. Entry, Alden Craven.

Three animals recorded in Canadian Hunter Stud Book—1. Entry, James Bovaird; 2. Entry, G. C. Rundell; 3. Entry, Alden Craven; 4. Entry, Alden Craven.

Stallion—1. War Doe, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Chassels; 2. Gleam of Steel, Canadian Hunter and Light Horse Improvement Society.

Thoroughbreds, stallion—1. On Board, T. S. Kennedy; 2. War Doe; 3. Wild Drift, Alex Farzio; 4. Gleam of Steel.

Broodmare with foal of 1955—1. Bella Flora, John Loughry; 2. Parlous, T. S. Kennedy; 3. Nikitina, Hazel C. Gayford.

Foal of 1955—1. Entry, H. C. Burton; 2. Entry, T. S. Kennedy; 3. Entry, Hazel C. Gayford.

Yearling colt, filly or gelding—1. Henry B. Good, G. D. Kellough; 2. Lawless Lad, C. E. Kennedy; 3. Seareel; 4. Faithful Girl, W. J. Barron.

2-yr-old colt, gelding or filly—1. Seaspeed; 2. Pinup Boy, Wm. Bovaird; 3. Old Fourth, Col. Nelles.

3-yr-old—1. Keepin, Wm. Bovaird.

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Central Canada

As usual close and stiff competition was in evidence at the Central Canada Exhibition and Horse Show.

The top jumper of the show was Bobby, owned by Nu-Way Auto of Montreal, and was ridden by Dennis Doucette.

In the knock-down-and-out, eleven year old Pierre Perras, aboard the 17-year-old mare Little Mummy, beat out 19 others to win the event.

Yvette Perras had a nice win on the Lancaster entry Maple Lady in the child's hunter event to take the H. Corby Distillery Ltd., Challenge Trophy. The Perras children also came back on the final evening to place first and second in the hunter stake with the Lancaster entry third.

Lillian Stein of Ste. Adele, Que. was again the good hands rider while young Barbara McKibbin took the junior seat and hands.

The back alley jump in masquerade costume provided much entertainment and the added feature of the triple bar jump in which three jump offs were required added much tension to the show.

**CORRESPONDENT
DOT HEWITT**

PLACE: Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.
TIME: Aug. 20-27.
JUDGE: Lt. Col. Stuart C. Bate.

SUMMARIES

Green hunter hack—1. Chop Up, Helen Chamberlin; 2. Forest Glen, A. and F. Farm; 3. Panawatha, Twenty One Acres; 4. Sporting Hearts, K. E. Nelson.

Jumper, owned within 65 miles of Ottawa—1. Glamour Boy, Mr. and Mrs. MacRea Pink; 2. Sun Rocket, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lancaster, Forest Echo, A. and F. Farm; 3. Beacon, K. H. Hausnor, Meadow Lark, A. and F. Farm, Sporting Hearts, K. E. Nelson.

Child's hunter—1. Maple Lady, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lancaster.

Back alley jumping class—1. White Eagle, Geo. Godin; 2. Broadway Breeze, Noel Beauchamp; 3. Ouragan, Jacques Trudeau, The Millionaire, M. Fardif, H. Fafard, Bobby, Nu-Way Auto.

Good hands challenge trophy, 17 and under—1. Lillian Stein.

Junior seat and hands, 13 and under—1. Trooper, Barbara McKibbin; 2. Lady Grey, Yvette Perras; 3. Royal Heart, Patricia Dubois.

Green hunter—1. Yankee Clipper, Passfields Farm; 2. September Morn, Brea Sides Farm; 3. Chop Up; 4. Forest Glen.

Hunter stake—1. Little Mummy, Perras Stable; 2. Little Fox, Perras Stable; 3. Sun Rocket; 4. Yankee Clipper, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ledson; 5. Don Juan, Jr., Nu-Way Auto; 6. Bar Pin, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Parkinson.

Team of three—1. Bobby, Ouragan, Dennis Moore, J. A. Desfosses; 2. Cadet, George Ledson, Yankee Clipper, Broadway Breeze; 3. Meadow Lark, A. and F. Farm, Forest Echo, A. and F. Farm, Forest Glen, A. and F. Farm; 4. Spic & Span, Passfields Farm, Iron Miss, Passfields Farm, Glamour Boy.

Ladies hunter—1. Bar Pin; 2. Little Fox; 3. Trooper; 4. Forest Echo.

Hunter heavyweight—1. Sun Rocket; 2. Iron Miss; 3. Yankee Clipper; 4. Roxanna, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Parkinson.

Hunter lightweight—1. Maple Lady; 2. Little Fox; 3. Forest Echo; 4. Bar Pin.

Pony jumping, rider 16 and under—1. Teddy, John M. Garland; 2. Marjory, Georgina Gadbois; 3. Bobby Boy, Perras Stable.

Performance stake—1. Bobby; 2. Little Mummy; 3. Ouragan; 4. White Eagle, George Godin; 5. Iron Miss, Passfields Farm; 6. Broadway Breeze.

Pair jumping—1. Tootsie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cote, The Millionaire; 2. Forest Echo, Helen, A. and F. Farm; 3. Iron Miss, Spic and Span; 4. Nubian, John H. Garland, Smokey, Barbara Blondin.

Child's jumper, rider 17 and under—1. Dennis Moore, J. A. Desfosses; 2. Little Mummy; 3. Meadow Lark; 4. Sporting Hearts.

Horses suitable to become a hunter—1. Kali-spel, Mrs. Daphne Hodgson; 2. Yankee Clipper; 3. September Morn, Brea Side Farms; 4. Sporting Hearts.

Road hack—1. Lady Grey; 2. Ouragan; 3. Bobby; 4. Captain Jack, Mrs. Lynette Ahearn.

SHOWING

Performance only—1. Bobby; 2. White Eagle; Forest Echo, The Millionaire, Gibraltar, Dennis Moore, Never Again, Leeside Farm, Iron Miss, Sun Rocket.

Hunter hack—1. Bar Pin; 2. Chop Up; 3. Sporting Hearts; 4. Panawatha.

Triple bar jump—1. Bobby; 2. Broadway Breeze; 3. Sun Rocket; 4. Spic and Span.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Little Mummy; 2. Bobby, Dennis Moore, Ouragan, The Millionaire, Iron Miss, Broadway Breeze.

Open jumping—1. Tootsie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cote; 2. Bobby; 3. The Millionaire, Dennis Moore, Sun Rocket, Iron Miss, Spic and Span, Forest Echo, White Eagle.

Cecil County

The ribbons in the Shetland breeding division were pretty well divided among the Gutmans, the Olney Pony Farm, and Mrs. duPont's Liseter Hall Farm. The Ross Taylors won three out of the four hunter breeding classes, pretty well accounting for the major ribbons of note.

Had there been a championship awarded in the hunter division, undisputed recipient of the award would have been the lovely Muscovado, owned by the Roland Koehlers and ridden by their daughter and Phyllis Coerver. The grey won practically every class in which he was entered here.

**CORRESPONDENT
FENCEPOST**

PLACE: Fair Hill, Md.

TIME: Sept. 17.

JUDGES: Dr. Price Hunter, Dr. Edgar Poyell; Mrs. Fred Pinch.

SUMMARIES

Shetlands, broodmares—1. Olney Dottie, Olney Pony Farm; 2. Senorita, Gutman Farms; 3. Susan's Vanity, Liseter Hall; 4. Christwood Edda, Paul A. Barrett.

Foals—1. Susan's Whoopee, Susan Archer; 2. Senorita Silver Sun, Gutman Pony Farm; 3. Medical Hall Red Stuff, Medical Hall Farm; 4. Prieta's Nicotine, Parker Cohn.

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Yearlings—1. Silver Mane's Ace Cody, Liseter Hill; 2. Susan's Whimsy, Susan Archer; 3. Little Soldier, Ruth Wood; 4. Belmar's Oreflame, Medical Hall Farm.

Two and three year olds—1. Magic, Gutman Pony Farm; 2. Saddle Acres Silver Bell, Liseter Hall; 3. Medical Hall Largo, Medical Hall Farm; 4. Chapel Hill Satan, Gloria Phillips.

Stallions—1. Severn Firecracker, Olney Farms; 2. Greyhound's Chief, Susan Archer; 3. Bellerion, Gutman Pony Farm; 4. Chapel Hill Satan.

Other than registered Shetland ponies, broodmares (under 12.2)—1. Chickery Chick, Olney Farms; 2. Patchwork, Liseter Hall; 3. De Me, Gutman Farms; 4. Holly, Gutman Farms.

Broodmares (over 12.2, not exceeding 14.2)—1. Stormy Day, Liseter Hall; 2. Try Me, Gutman Farms; 3. Gay Dream, Kenneth Montgomery.

Foals—1. Chickadee, Olney Pony Farm; 2. Unnamed, Liseter Hall; 3. Unnamed, Liseter Hall; 4. April Showers, Olney Pony Farm.

Yearlings—1. Silver Mane's Ace Cody; 2. Golden Miss, Mary Clair Treadwell; 3. Sugar, Gutman Pony Farm; 4. Prieta's Nicotine.

Two and three year olds—1. Atlas, Olney Pony Farm; 2. My Pal, Linda Sue Farmer.

Hunter breeding classes, broodmares—1. Flying Vixen, E. Ross Taylor; 2. Bonfire, W. F. Shell; 3. Rip, Dan Vannoy; 4. Justa Wac, C. G. Yount.

Mare with foal—1. Mary Miss, Mary Linda Vannoy; 2. Bonfire; 3. Rip.

Yearling—1. Good Money, E. Ross Taylor; 2. May Run, Dr. Edward J. Webb; 3. Rule On, Mrs. Charles Taylor; 4. Uncle Gerry, Jerry Taylor.

Three and four year olds—1. Twinkle, Ross Taylor; 2. Muscovado, Roland Koehler.

Green hunters over jumps—1. Muscovado, Phyllis Coover; 2. Counter Attack, Lee Levering; 3. Scheherazade, Karen Caddell.

Lightweight hunters—1. Muscovado; 2. Pep Ricki, Margaret Johnson; 3. Twinkle, Edith Fenton; 4. Timber Miss, JoAnne Hoops.

Middle and heavyweight hunters—1. Rich Girl, Patricia duPont; 2. Dutch Girl, Frank Bullock.

Open hunters—1. Covert Boy, George Wanner, Jr.; 2. Muscovado; 3. Rich Hill, Sylvia Bois; 4. Timber Miss.

Hunter pairs—1. Pep Ricki; Covert Boy; 2. Timber Miss; Rumba, Lois Hoops; 3. Twinkle; Kick Girl; 4. Dutch Girl; Saboteur, John S. Williams.

Cecil County horse and pony club—1. Pep, Melissa Copenhagen; 2. Trigger, Jay Robinson; 3. Snowball, Jean Vannoy; 4. Bud, Billy Stuefer.

Pony jumpers under 12.2 hds.—1. Pep, Dean Gutman; 2. Misty Princess, Susanne Ortinsky; 3. Betty, Jimmy McVey; 4. Harry B., Marjorie Greenfield.

Pony working hunters (12.2 to 14.2)—1. Covert Boy; 2. Sisay, Kay Mackie; 3. Chatterbox, Mary Clair Treadwell; 4. Carmen, Elizabeth Stiff.

Working hunter, over 14.2 hds.—1. Muscovado; 2. Pep Ricki; 3. Counter Attack; 4. Scheherazade.

Pony under saddle (12.2 hds. and under)—1. Dana's Lark, Dana Williams; 2. Royal Mist, Daria Ortinsky; 3. Misty Princess; 4. Trigger, Leslie Cashel.

Ponies under saddle (12.2 to 14.2)—1. Covert Boy; 2. Ronnie, Richard Taylor; 3. Velvet Shadow, Lynne Wanner; 4. Chatterbox.

Horse under saddle—1. Grandpa, Jean Janney; 2. Justa Wac, Phyllis Coover; 4. Vixen, Libby Stiff; 4. Muscovado.

Cecil County horse and pony club—1. Dana's Lark; 2. Buster, Carol Robinson; 3. Scotty, Barbara Keiser; 4. Trigger.

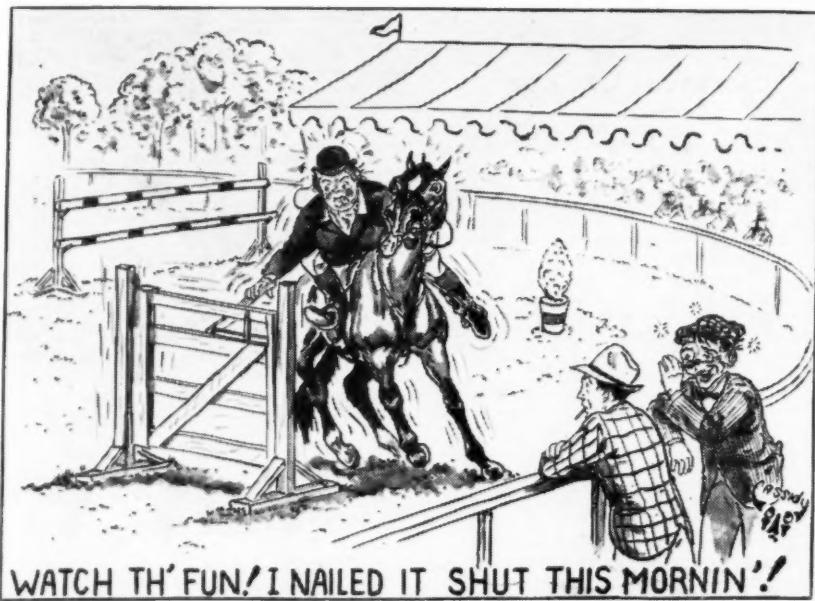
Cecil County horse and pony club—1. Pep, Dean Gutman; 2. Scheherazade; 3. Misty Princess; 4. Rakish Angle, Kay Mackie.

Farmington

The big star of the Farmington show this year was Shawnee Farm's versatile gelding, Journey Road. Throughout the show the big fencing bay chalked up six wins including for green working classes and the H. A. George Memorial in the open working appointments class. Aside from these he garnered one second, three thirds and a fourth totaling enough points for the grand championship as well as the green and open working tri-colors.

Mrs. Morton W. Smith and Jazz Session won the owners class for the third successive year to retire the Ray Alan Van Cief Memorial.

The outstanding Junior rider of the show was Miss Emily Bryan who won the 12 and under, MacClay and the high score award for the most points in the 12 and under at the three Farmington Shows.



CORRESPONDENT Terry Drury

PLACE: Charlottesville, Va.

TIME: Oct. 7-9

JUDGES: J. T. Carpenter, Gerard S. Smith, Col. F. F. Wing, Jr., Andrew Montgomery GREEN CONFORMATION CH: Besiege, Peggy Augustus.

RES: Velvet Rose, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robert Moch.

GREEN WORKING CH: Journey Proud, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.

RES: Pink Mink, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stephens.

REGULAR CONFORMATION CH: Spanish Mint, Jack Payne, agt.

RES: Sun Dial, Lakelawn Farm.

REGULAR WORKING CH: Journey Proud, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.

RES: Ricochet, Maxine IX

JUNIOR HUNTER CH: March King, Mrs. Gibson Gardner.

RES: Farmley Babette, Fox Hollow Stables

SUMMARIES

Green hunters—1. Journey Proud, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.; 2. Mendham, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.; 3. Spanish Fleet, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robert Moch; 4. Pink Mink, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stephens.

Open hunters—1. Conscription, Canaan Farm; 2. Curist, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fout; 3. Waiting Home, Miss Peggy Augustus; 4. Ginger, Delmar Twyman, agt.

Green hunters—1. Besiege, Peggy Augustus; 2. Velvet Rose, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robert Moch; 3. Journey Proud; 4. Triple Shot, Jack Payne, agt.

Open green working hunters—1. Journey Proud; 2. Mendham; 3. Pink Mink; 4. Spanish Fleet.

Open working hunters—1. Little Trip, Lakelawn Farm; 2. Curist; 3. Journey Proud; 4. Ricochet, Maxine IX.

Open green hunters—1. Triple Shot; Besiege; 3. Velvet Rose; 4. Journey Proud.

Open green working hunters—1. Journey Proud; 2. Spanish Fleet; 3. Mendham; 4. Pink Mink.

Open conformation hunters—1. Spanish Mint, Jack Payne, agt. 2. Sun Dial, Lakelawn Farm; 3. Baby Seal, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.; 4. Jack Blandford, Mrs. R. J. Barbin, agt.

Green conformation hunter stake—1. Velvet Rose; 2. Besiege; 3. Journey Proud; 4. Triple Shot.

Green working hunter stake—1. Journey Proud; 2. Pink Mink; 3. Ba-On, Delmar Twyman, agt.; 4. Spanish Fleet; 5. Psychic Knot, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Rives.

Green conformation hunters under saddle—1. Besiege; 2. Triple Shot; 3. Velvet Rose; 4. Journey Proud.

Green working hunter hacks—1. Journey 2. Sohrab, Kathleen McKinney; 3. Pink Ba-On.

Horsemanship, 8 yrs. of age and under—1. Jean Waldman; 2. Bill Graves; 3. Anne Craddock; 4. Lois Wilson.

Junior working hunters—1. Strawberry Sundae, Grover H. Vandevender; 2. Farmley Babette, Fox Hollow Stables; 3. Cinnamon Stick, Grover H. Vandevender; 4. March King, Mrs. Gibson Gardner.

Junior jumpers—1. March King; 2. Meadowlark, Noel Twyman; 3. Blythe Spirit, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Andrews, Jr.

Ponies under saddle—1. Farmley Babette; 2. Blythe Spirit; 3. Geronimo, Miss Emily Bryan; 4. Minnie Mouse, F. Haywood Neils, III.

Junior hunters under saddle—1. Jalloma, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Andrews, Jr.; 2. Shamrock; 3. Windward, Joan Conk; 4. Gay Streak, Bonnie McCree.

Junior hunting attire—1. March King; 2. Gay Streak; 3. Shamrock; 4. Geronimo.

Deadline—1. Anne Roberta Haffner; 2. Cortland Van Cief.

Children's horsemanship, under 12—1. Emily Bryan; 2. Lois Wilson; 3. Joan Cronk; 4. Rodney Jenkins.

A. S. P. C. A. horsemanship—1. Emily Bryan; 2. Libby Lindstrom; 3. Barbara Koch; 4. Peggy Weems.

Handy working hunters—1. Ricochet; 2. Ginger; 3. Curist; 4. Sky's Impression, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robert Moch.

Ladies conformation hunters—1. Waiting Home; 2. Spanish Mint; 3. Sun Dial; 4. Jack Blandford.

Wm. Garth Memorial—1. Signal Danger, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 2. Mister Pete, Barbara Koch; 3. Persian Moll, Elliewood Page Keith; 4. Mountville, Grover H. Vandevender.

Conformation hunters under saddle—1. Sun Dial; 2. Ripple Boy, Dr. and Mrs. Alvin I. Kay; 3. Baby Seal; 4. Jazz Session, Mrs. Morton W. Smith.

Working hunter hacks—1. Conscription; 2. Journey Proud; 3. Signal Danger; 4. Persian Mint.

Members class—1. Jazz Session; 2. Signal Danger; 3. Baby Seal; 4. Happy Chance, Mrs. J. P. Jones.

Yearling colts—1. Entry by Rhodes Scholar, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 2. Jubilee, by Preisrichter, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 3. Entry by Happy Buckle—Grand Sulka, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Pettibone; 4. Entry by Heledorius—Hold Tight, Dr. J. P. Jones.

Yearling fillies—1. Entry by Prian II—Alsab's Day, Mrs. Royal Firman; 2. Entry by Sun Agam—Morning, Nydrie Stud; 3. Entry by Rippley-Vapor, Nydrie Stud; 4. Entry by Cosmic Bomb-Cubbing, Mrs. Royal Firman.

Two-year olds—1. Irish Eyes, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Rives; 2. Sir Trouble, Lakelawn Farm, Delmar Twyman, agt.; 3. Gallery Lad, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Pettibone; 4. Breesewood, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter.

Working hunter stake—1. Baby Seal; 2. Little Trip; 3. Curist; 4. Conscription; 5. Ricochet.

Conformation hunter stake—1. Spanish Mint; 2. Baby Seal; 3. Jack Blandford; 4. Sun Dial; 5. Hypogress, Delmar Twyman, agt.

Owners up—1. Jazz Session; 2. Ripple Boy; 3. Sohrab; 4. Besiege.

H. A. George memorial—1. Journey Proud; 2. Ricochet; 3. Curist; 4. Baby Seal.

Ortman Memorial—1. Spanish Mint; 2. Baby Seal; 3. Sun Dial; 4. Waiting Home.

Fillmore

The Fillmore County Saddle Club sponsored a horse show during the Fillmore County Fair at Geneva, Nebraska. App. Continued On Page 19

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pearing as an exhibition event was a team of six jumping horses from Lincoln, Nebraska. The jumpers were exhibited over a modified Olympic course set up before the grand stand. Scoring was by American Horse Shows Association rules, and ribbons were awarded by the judge.

CORRESPONDENT
Louise Ackerman

PLACE: Geneva, Nebraska
TIME: Aug. 18
JUDGE: Orville Kimsey

SUMMARIES

Jumpers — 1. Silnor's King, D. G. A. Ackerman; 2. Wrong Font, Lowell Boomer; 3. Firecracker, Mr. Donald L. Halferty; 4. War Jester, Lowell Boomer.

Harford County

PLACE: Harford, Md.
TIME: Aug. 17-20.
JUDGES: Mrs. Charles W. Williams, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers.
SHETLAND JR. CH.: Linwood's Ace, Miles River Pony Farm.
RES.: Chapel Hill's Miss Fancy, Betty Hammell, L. Meener.
SHETLAND SR. CH.: Severn Firecracker, Severn Oaks and Olney Farm.
RES.: Valley Springs Silver Dawn, Miles River Pony Farm.
GRAND CHAMPION SHETLAND: Severn Firecracker, Severn Oaks and Olney Farm.
RES.: Linwood's Ace, Miles River Pony Farm.
CROSSBRED JR. CH.: Farnley Jewel, Farnley Farm.
RES.: Chickadee, Olney Farm.
CROSSBRED SR. CH.: Chickery Chick, Olney Farm.
RES.: Farnley Broccoli, Farnley Farm.
CROSSBRED GRAND CH.: Farnley Jewel, Farnley Farm.
RES.: Chickery Chick, Olney Farm.

SUMMARIES

Shetland broodmare without foal but bred in 1955—1. Harlestoun Laurie, Olney Farm; 2. Saddle Acres May Queen, Saddle Acres Pony Farm; 3. Silver White's Poppy, Severn Oaks Farm.
Shetland broodmare with foal at foot—1. Valley Springs Silver Dawn, Miles River Pony Farm; 2. Alida's Favorite, Miles River Pony Farm; 3. Cherry's Delight, Mrs. W. D. Wilkerson.
Shetland colt foal—1. Medical Hall Red Stuff, Medical Hall Farm; 2. Chapel Hill's Shadow, Betty Hammell and Lawrence Maener; 3. Maple Hill's Little Defender, Mrs. David Chenowith.
Shetland filly foal—1. Chapel Hill's Miss Fancy, Betty Hammell and Lawrence Maener; 2. Entry, Medical Hall Farm; 3. Saddle Acres Figurine, Saddle Acres Pony Farm.

Shetland yearling colt—1. Little Soldier, Ruth Wood; 2. Arbor Acres, Saddle Acres Pony Farm; 3. Belém's Oriflame, Medical Hall Farm.
Shetland yearling filly—1. Susan's Whimsy, Susan Archer; 2. Saddle Acres Silver Velvet, Saddle Acres Pony Farm; 3. Saddle Acres Mystic Que, Saddle Acres Pony Farm.

Shetland colt or filly, 2-yr.-old—1. Linwood's Ace, Miles River Pony Farm; 2. Miles River Linwood Star, Miles River Pony Farm; 3. Medical Hall Miss Lirigo, Medical Hall Farm.

Shetland stallion 3-yr.-old and over—1. Severn Firecracker, Severn Oaks and Olney Farm; 2. The Greyhound's Chief, Susan Archer; 3. Chapel Hill's Satan, Gloria Phillips.

Shetland get of sire—1. Get of Superee's Silver Clipper, Saddle Acres Pony Farm; 2. Get of Severn Firecracker, Severn Oaks; 3. Get of Star of Linwood, Miles River Pony Farm.

Shetland produce of dam—1. Produce of Susan's Pretty Baby, Susan Archer; 2. Produce of Valley Springs Silver Dawn, Miles River Pony Farm; 3. Produce of Edgewood's Twinkle, Sherry Acres Pony Farm.

Shetland pony foal—1. Silver White's Poppy, Severn Oaks Farm; 2. Valley Springs Silver Dawn, Miles River Pony Farm; 3. Alida's Favorite, Miles River Pony Farm.

Crossbred broodmare 12.2 hands and under—1. Chickery Chick, Olney Farm; 2. De Me, Gutman Pony Farm; 3. Morning Mist, Saddle Acres Pony Farm.

Crossbred broodmares over 12.2 and not exceeding 14.2 hands—1. Farnley Broccoli, Farnley Farm; 2. Amber M., Farnley Farm; 3. Blue Mist, Deborah A. Scarff.

Crossbred colt foal—1. Rhythm King, Eleanor H. Ammon; 2. Farnley Trifle, Farnley Farm; 3. Entry, Deborah A. Scarff.

Crossbred filly foal — 1. Chickadee, Olney Farm; 2. Farnley Radish, Farnley Farm; 3. Penny Royal, Amanda Mackay-Smith.

Crossbred yearling colt—1. Entry, Farnley Farm; 2. Ca D'oro, Medical Hall Farm; 3. Diamond, Louise E. Hollyday.

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Crossbred yearling filly—1. Farnley Jewel, Farnley Farm; 2. Pretty Penny, Amanda Mackay-Smith; 3. Farnley Punkin, Farnley Farm.

Crossbred 2 or 3-yr.-old colt—1. Atlas, Olney Farm; 2. Miles River Maryland Biscuit, Nancy and Agnes Sagner; 3. Jasper, Carolyn Wright.

Crossbred 2 or 3-yr.-old filly—1. Flamette, Barbara Tigner; 2. Farnley Jingle, Farnley Farm; 3. Sheila, Northwest Farm.

Crossbred get of sire—1. Get of Farnley Gremlin, Farnley Farm; 2. Get of Dolhir Short Snorter, Pauline Cornes, Judy Crouse, Nancy Sagner; 3. Get of Supreme Silver Clipper, Mary Claire Treadwell.

Crossbred produce of dam—1. Produce of Josephine, Farnley Farm; 2. Produce of Chickery Chick, Olney Farm; 3. Produce of Fungus, Olney Farm.

Crossbred pony hack under 11.2 hands—1. Royal Mist, Bernadette Ortynsky; 2. Misty Princess, Bernadette Ortynsky; 3. Saddle Acres Stardust, Mary Claire Treadwell.

Crossbred pony hack over 11.2 and under 13 hands—1. Chickery Chick; 2. Harry B., Olney Farm; 3. Atlas.

Crossbred pony hack over 13 and under 14.2 hands—1. Chatterbox, Mary Claire Treadwell; 2. Raflet, Hannah LeVan; 3. Saddle Acres Admiration, Billy Preston.

Crossbred novice pony hack—1. Go Easy, Mrs. George J. Wanner; 2. Flammette, Barbara Tigner; 3. Jasper, Carolyn Wright.

Horse hack—1. Chasm, Severn Oaks Farm; 2. Robin, Susan Archer; 3. Miss Tess, Bonnie Watts.

Pony hunter under 11.2—1. Dusty, Mary Claire Treadwell; 2. Misty Princess; 3. De-Me.

Pony hunter, 11.2 and under 13 hands—1. Bantam, Jane Titcomb; 2. Jasper; 3. Chickery Chick.

Pony hunter 13 to 14.2—1. Covert Boy, Mrs. George Wanner; 2. Chatterbox; 3. Velvet Shadow, Mrs. George Wanner.

Hunter over 14.2—1. Miss Tess; 2. Chasm; 3. Robin.

Leadrein—1. Jennie Crocker; 2. Linda Thompson; 3. Charles Hamilton.

Children's showmanship up to 10—1. Daria Ortynsky; 2. Mary Alice Miller; 2. Lynn Gault.

Children's showmanship, 10 to 16—1. Kitty Ammon; 2. Jane Titcomb; 3. Marjorie Greenfield.

Beginners, to walk only—1. Kathleen Treadwell; 2. Nancy Parks; 3. Valarie Pierce.

Intermediate, walk and trot—1. Mary Alice Miller; 2. Melissa Copenhafer; 3. Diane Chenoweth.

Walk, trot and canter, up to 10—1. Daria Ortynsky; 2. Lynn Gault; 3. Billy McMahon.

Walk, trot and canter, 10 to 15—1. Mary Claire Treadwell; 2. Marvin Rembold; 3. Suzanne Ortynsky.

Walk, trot and canter, 15 to 18—1. Mary T. Huff; 2. Susan Archer; 3. Bonnie Lee Watts.

Musical chairs, children to 8 yrs.—1. Joyce Marshall; 2. Brooks Gault; 3. Carolyn Greenfield.

Musical chairs, children 8 to 12 yrs.—1. Monica Collier; 2. Lynn Gault; 3. Judy Crouse.

Musical chairs, children 12 to 16 yrs.—1. Marjorie Greenfield; 2. Pauline Cornes; 3. Marvin Rembold.

Monmouth County

The Monmouth County Horse Show was held at Monmouth Park's recently acquired Wolf Hill Farm under one of the hottest and most scorching suns to shine down on the County in many years.

Friday afternoon was devoted exclusively to Thoroughbred breeding classes. The Annette T. Haskell Memorial Trophy, awarded to the most outstanding broodmare (to be judged as a producer) had been won in 1952 and 1953 by Ralph T. Reeve of Ridge to River Farm, North Branch and last year by Mr. and Mrs. William Foales of Shrewsbury. The Class totalled 16 entries and after intensive deliberation by the judge the nod was given Woodland Farm's chestnut Gerademode (dam of Last Hat) by Gerald Modestine.

The next class was for Thoroughbred foals of 1955 and the 14 entries shone like newly mint copper pennies. The Lewis E. Waring Memorial Trophy was presented to Mom's Pal, a chestnut filly

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by Scobeyville—Midi's Mom, owned by John Fieramosca of Colonial Farm, Colt's Neck, who races the successful 3-year-old Hello Mom.

The spotlight was shared by Miss Ann Voorhees of Far Hills and Mrs. A. R. Gilman of Lincroft who turned in spectacular performances during Saturday and Sunday. Miss Voorhees and her mount Tambourlaine scored in three divisions on Saturday and on Sunday added two seconds to clinch the Junior Division Handicap with 18 points. Mrs. Gilman's eight-year-old Holey Smoke amassed 19 points to win the Weil Trophy which signifies tops in the hunters' competition. It was the first leg on the Trophy which must be won three times for permanent possession.

CORRESPONDENT
Juno Cole

PLACE: Oceanport, N. J.

TIME: Aug. 20-21

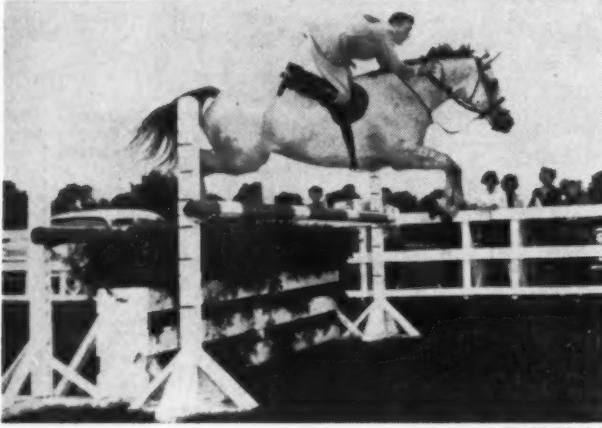
JUDGES: Thomas Mason, Richard McDevitt, Sidney Glass

CHAMPION: Holy Smoke, Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Gilman

RES: Javelin, Mrs. Thomas Forman

JR. CHAMPION: Tambourlaine, Ann Voorhees

RES: Sonnet, Marcia Tonpane



(Budd Photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Mann's RIVIERA WONDER, ridden by Al Fiorre was the open green jumper champion at the Westchester Country Club Horse Show, N. Y.

SUMMARIES
Breeding division, Annette F. Haskell memorial trophy — 1. Geramode, Woodland Farms; 2. Agility, Mrs. Alfred F. King, Jr.; 3. Chipperoo, Ralph T. Reeve; 4. Celebrity Miss, Mrs. James Purdy.

Lewis E. Waring memorial trophy, Thoroughbred foals — 1. Mom's Pal, John Fieramosca; 2. Entry, Bernadette Farm; 3. Entry, Woodland Farm; 4. Entry, Mr. and Mrs. David Marx.

Novice horsemanship — 1. Nancy Lord; 2. Bruce Blaisdell; 3. Sally Lord; 4. Bambi Ellis; 5. Whitney Andrews.

Deadline — 1. John C. Pistell; 2. Mia Switz; 3. George Cornwell; 4. Susan Blaisdell; 5. Alice Kilpatrick.

Maiden horsemanship — 1. Kathy Murray; 2. Calle Laffe; 3. Christine Jahnig; 4. Anne Badenhop.

Hunter hacks — 1. Tambourlaine, Ann Voorhees; 2. Sonnet, Marcia Tonpane; 3. Flagport, Jeffrey Parra; 4. Memory Boy, Jon Lommerin.

Handy hunters — 1. Javelin, Mrs. Thomas Forman; 2. Holy Smoke, Mrs. A. R. Gilman; 3. Mr. Marshall, Nils Lommerin; 4. Lo-Jan, Lois Nonemaker.

Knockdown and out — 1. Golden Discovery, Nils Lommerin; 2. Javelin; 3. Lo-Jan.

Maiden horsemanship — 1. Betsy Dillon; 2. Sally Lord; 3. Lois Bradley; 4. R. Crofton Held.

ASPCA horsemanship — 1. Gail Savage; 2. Evelyn Swanson; 3. Jeffrey Parra; 4. John Ballou; 5. Nils Lommerin; 6. R. Crofton Held.

Hunter hacks — 1. Javelin; 2. Holy Smoke; 3. Mr. Marshall; 4. Will-If-I-Want, Mrs. Steven Wood.

Working hunter — 1. Tambourlaine; 2. Sonnet; 3. Hot Rod, Doug MacNeil; 4. Night and Day, Woodland Farm.

horsemanship. Winning first place and the trophy in the Junior class was Karen Hughes of Lincoln, Nebraska, on a borrowed horse, Firecracker.

CORRESPONDENT
Louise AckermanPLACE: Wahoo, Nebraska
TIME: September 4
JUDGE: Ivan French

SUMMARIES

Green jumper — 1. Firecracker, Mrs. Donald L. Halter; 2. Rebel, Dr. E. S. Ackerman; 3. Ranikaboo, Dr. G. A. Ackerman; 4. Ginger, Dennis Johnson.

Junior jumper — 1. Firecracker, Karen Hughes; 2. Ginger, Dennis Johnson; 3. Topaz Delight, Dwaine Mares; 4. Myrtle Wood, Mary Ann Wetzel.

Open jumper — 1. War Jester, Lowell Boomer; 2. Cabalusso Flambino, R. E. Ackerman; 3. Silnor's King, Dr. G. A. Ackerman; 4. Rebel, Dr. E. S. Ackerman.

Old Lyme

Old Lyme, the first of the many local country fair horse shows, was fun in spite of the intense heat. One could cool off in the nearby Long Island Sound between classes, if the heat became unbearable.

Flying Saucer won the jumper championship for his owner-rider John Pace. This was a first championship for the pair.

CORRESPONDENT
Virginia Lucey

PLACE: Old Lyme, Conn.

TIME: Aug. 6

JUDGE: Jack Spratt

JUMPER CH: Flying Saucer, John Pace

RES: Rimwreck, Louis Vogeli

ENGLISH PLEASURE HORSE CH: King, Marianne Jones

RES: Little Colonel, Nancy Wells

SUMMARIES

Road hack — 1. King, Marianne Jones; 2. Little Colonel, Nancy Wells; 3. London Queenette, Molly Blackall; 4. Hellzapoppin, Reida Johnson.

Pet pony — 1. Danny Boy, Thomas Hayes; 2. Shubby, Cheryl Brown; 3. Little Chief, Joann Ferro; 4. Peanuts, Jerome Gerde.

Open jumper — 1. Rimwreck, Louis Vogeli; 2. Flying Saucer, John Pace; 3. Pitchfork, Cliff Congdon; 4. Festive Fire, Jack Rockwell.

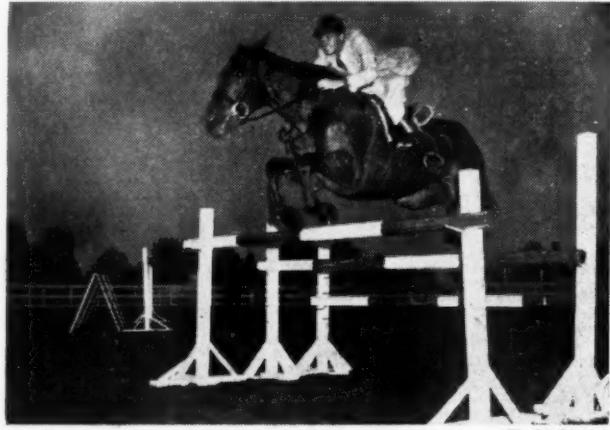
Pleasure horse — 1. Jane Thomas, Mrs. C. T. Berry; 2. Little Colonel; 3. London Queenette; 4. King.

Knockdown and out — 1. Flying Saucer; 2. My Rogue, Ed Ahlberg, Jr.; 3. Rimwreck; 4. Pitchfork.

Lead rein — 1. Scott Hanks; 2. Winton Gerde; 3. June King; 4. Charlene Fox; 5. Lynda Harold; 6. Barbara Warman.

Road hack stake — 1. King; 2. Little Colonel; 3. Hellzapoppin; 4. Jane Thomas.

Jumper stake — 1. Festive Fire; 2. Pitch Fork; 3. Flying Saucer; 4. Rimwreck.



(Budd Photo)

THE GIGOLO, ridden by owner, 17-year-old George Morris, won the jumper championship at the Westchester Country Club show.

Orange County

This is one of the larger shows on the Pacific Coast Horse Show circuit. There were twenty-five to thirty-five horses in nearly all the hunter and jumper classes, and all were in top condition, making the competition most keen.

Mrs. Louis Pfaus', Combination, shown by Jimmy Williams, came out on top in the hunter division.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin L. Campbell's, Carmichael, with Bud Landrum up, won the jumper championship.

CORRESPONDENT
The Pointer

PLACE: Costa Mesa, Calif.

TIME: Aug. 9-14

JUDGE: Charles F. Zimmerman

HUNTER CH: Combination, Mrs. Louise Pfaus

RES: Reno O'Neal, Concar Ranch, and Home James, Balkiston Ranch

JUMPER CH: Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Colin L. Campbell

RES: Charlie, Barbara Busch and Remember Me, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown

SUMMARIES

Amateur hunter — 1. Proud Sirde, Alfred Meyer; 2. Home James, Balkiston Ranch; 3. Briar Gate, Mrs. Ed Strain; 4. Reno O'Neal, Concar Ranch.

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Ladies jumpers — 1. Mr. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Tester; 2. O'reana, Mrs. Ed Strain; 3. John Silver, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Tester; 4. Remember Me, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown.

Handy hunters — 1. Combination; 2. Texas Reef, Mr. and Mrs. Coin L. Campbell; 3. Home James; 4. Little Jen, Harold C. Frankel.

Amateur jumpers — 1. Charlie; 2. Sabu, Counts Corral No. 1; 3. Orphan Lad, Thomas Bunn Farms; 4. Simple Simon, Mr. and Mrs. Ray York.

Lightweight hunters — 1. Home James; 2. Above Reproach; 3. Night Command, Mrs. Amory H. Hutchinson; 4. Little Jen.

Jumpers — 1. Remember Me; 2. Balbriggan, Barbara Worth Stables; 3. Charlie; 4. Carmichael. Heavyweight hunters — 1. Fifth Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Don Larsen; 2. Reno O'Neal; 3. Combination; 4. Briar Gate.

Handy jumpers — 1. Baldy, The Squirt Co.; 2. Balmorhea, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown; 3. Carry Me Back, Rancho Inferno; 4. Carmichael.

Ladies hunters — 1. Reno O'Neal; 2. Desert Fox; 3. Above Reproach; 4. Home James.

Jumpers — 1. Van Weider, Mrs. C. R. Kirman; 2. O'reana; 3. Oh Henry, Jack Conner; 4. Rusty, Neale Burggraaf.

Hunters, other than Thoroughbred — 1. Reno Tew Doo; 2. Blaney, Myra Moss; 3. Donnybrook, Katie Tremaine; 4. Nora Lee, Dorothy and Jimmie Strohm.

Thoroughbred hunters — 1. Domo, Barbara Worth Stables; 2. Texas Reef; 3. Short Day, Mrs. Louis Pifau; 4. Desert Fox.

Jumpers, touch and out — 1. Orphan Lad; 2. Swizzle Stick, Liz McGuire; 3. Van Weider; 4. Remember Me.

\$500.00 hunter stake — 1. Combination; 2. Domo; 3. Texas Reef; 4. Reno O'Neal; 5. Proud Sirde; 6. Short Day.

\$500.00 jumper stake — 1. Carmichael; 2. Salty Dog, Shaun Pendergast; 3. Balbriggan; 4. Kip; 5. Thejonesboy, Nancy Carter; 6. Rusty.

A. H. S. A. medal class, hunting seat — 1. Sandy Swayne; 2. Jan Caffall; 3. Ken Nordstrom; 4. Elaine Duffay; 5. Sally Smith; 6. Lina Frazier.

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Teams of four — 1. Jan Sorrels, Toby Walker, Mike Meinke, Gorham Nicol; 2. Bobsy Miller, Patty Tongue, Margie McElligott, Weylin Meyer; 3. Anne Lucas, Betty O'Hara, Judy Greve, Charlene Erickson; 4. Mrs. C. R. Spackman, Kate McKenna, Susan Irelan, Howard Holman.

Teams of three working hunters — 1. Perchene, Dr. G. C. Saunders, Briarcrest, Dr. G. C. Saunders, Spanish Hill; 2. Lord Dartmouth, Cox, Duke of Hampton; 3. Brigade, Faber Lewis, Three Sheets, Leopardstown, Mrs. Faber Lewis.

Knock-down-and-out — 1. Captain Dynamite; 2. Bridget O'Hara, Judge Greve; 3. Shamrock; 4. Red Forest.

Horsemanship, 13 to 18 yrs. — 1. Patty Tongue; 2. Jayne Cobbs; 3. Charlene Erickson; 4. Donald Kerron.

Working hunters — 1. Three Sheets; 2. Lord Dartmouth; 3. Tattle Tale, Miriam Norkuist; 4. Briarcrest.

Rock Hill

PLACE: East Greenwich, R. I.

TIME: Aug. 27-28.

JUDGE: Jack Prestage, William Curran.

CHAMPION PET PONY: Holly Hill Princess, Lindelle Schwartz.

RES.: Rudolph, Diane Oceuta.

CHAMPION WORKING HUNTER: Golden Bonnie, Mrs. Patrick Rooney.

RES.: Pidgeon Hill, Mortimer W. Cohen. CHAMPION OPEN JUMPER: Miss Shola, Leonard Pierce.

RES.: Terry, Michael J. Murphy.

SUMMARIES

Horsemanship, hunter seat — 1. Billy Walsh.

Lightweight working hunters — 1. Me Can Do, Mrs. Richard Storey; 2. Great Game, Jane L. Russo; 3. Bill McAuley, Mr. and Mrs. William Potter, Jr.; 4. Daisy Hill, Jane L. Russo.

Pleasure horses — 1. Micann, Cynthia Fleming; 2. McDonald's Gold Dust, Vernon K. Roux; 3. Dark Rapture, Susan Bailey; 4. Treasure, Mayfair Stable.

Middle and heavyweight working hunters — 1. Golden Bonnie, Mrs. Patrick Rooney; 2. Tipperary, Sally Sherman; 3. Shelley Bay, Otis A. Armstrong.

Pet ponies under saddle — 1. Holly Hill Princess, Lindelle Schwartz; 2. Sally, Helen Cole; 3. Mister Roberts, Brian Bouchard; 4. Rudolph, Diane Oceuta.

Open jumpers — 1. Terry, Michael J. Murphy; 2. Flying Saucer, John Pace; 3. Miss Shola, Leonard Pierce.

Junior hacks — 1. Scottish Claymore, Arthur Cote; 2. Deerfield Meadow, Claire Farrar; 3. Dark Rapture; 4. My Valentine, Tina Schaefer.

Working hunter hacks — 1. Daisy Hill; 2. Tipperary; 3. Golden Bonnie; 4. Bill McAuley.

Junior trail class — 1. Deerfield Meadow; 2. Micann; 3. My Valentine; 4. Ginger, Betsy Arnold.

Knock-down-and-out — 1. Strokstown, Bernard J. Ward; 2. The Bookie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins; 3. Early Mist, Thomas Maguire; 4. Miss Shola.

Open working hunters — 1. Pidgeon Hill, Mortimer W. Cohen; 2. Me Can Do; 3. Great Game; 4. Golden Bonnie.

Road hacks — 1. Scottish Claymore; 2. Dark Rapture; 3. The Clipper, Franklin D. Hoy; 4. Deerfield Meadow.

Open jumpers — 1. Flying Saucer, John Pace; 2. Miss Shola; 3. The Bookie; 4. Terry.

Pet pony bridle path hacks — 1. Holly Hill Princess; 2. Rudolph; 3. Amigo, Freddie Worthington; 4. Gorgeous Lady, Marcia Jane Costello.

Working hunters — 1. Bill McAuley; 2. Golden Bonnie; 3. Great Game; 4. Tipperary.

Open jumpers, F. E. I. class — 1. Miss Shola; 2. The Bookie; 3. Flying Saucer; 4. Strokstown.

Pet pony stake — 1. Holly Hill Princess; 2. Rudolph; 3. Mister Roberts; 4. Amigo.

New England owned working hunters, PHA —

1. Great Game; 2. Pidgeon Hill; 3. Golden Bonnie; 4. Me Can Do.

Working hunter stake — 1. Pidgeon Hill; 2. Tipperary; 3. Golden Bonnie; 4. Shelley Bay.

Open jumper stake — 1. Terry; 2. Miss Shola; 3. Banner, Billy Walsh; 4. The Bookie.

San Mateo

This two-day show sponsored by the San Mateo Junior Horsemen at the Mounted Patrol Grounds in Woodside was a big success. Carolyn Zwierlein on Skeeter and Jet Pilot captured the all around championship for the show.

**CORRESPONDENT
A Horse Lover**

PLACE: Woodside, California

TIME: Aug. 13-14

JUDGE: Col. Alex Sysin

CHAMPION: Carolyn Zwierlein

SUMMARIES

Horsemanship, under 13 — 1. Chance Myth, Sheila McBean; 2. Jet, Kathy Cox; 3. Heiress, Judy MacMillan; 4. Winya, Janie Yeargain.

Jumpers under 13 — 1. Heiress; 2. Skeeter, Carolyn Zwierlein; 3. Just Plain Bill, Penny Corre; 4. Acorn, Leslie Swinerton.

English pleasure — 1. Thunder, Nan Marshall; 2. Singapore, Tricia Galvin; 3. Dance Music, Judy McBean; 4. Sweet Cider, Tinker Lewis.

AHSA medal class — 1. Bold Warrier, Joyce Downtown; 2. Singapore; 3. Brac Na Ri, John Hart; 4. Bobbie K. Ronnie Zurow.

Horsemanship, 13-17 — 1. Joyce Downtown; 2. June Eastman; 3. Judy McBean; 4. Marilyn Harris.

Jumpers, 13-17 — 1. Skeeter, Pat Rukavina; 2. Red Sails, Pat Rukavina; 3. Bold Warrier; 4. Gigi, Frances Holloway.

Pairs, open — 1. Pretty Soon, Tricia Galvin. Bombs Away, Penny Somers.

Sets of four — 1. Bombs Away, Pretty Soon, Singapore, Robin, Pat Miloradovitch; 2. Ginger, Beau Knight, Lee Tunis, Satanta, June Eastman, Jet, Sandy Leister.

Hunters, open — 1. Red Sails; 2. Skeeter; 3. Wise Guy, Celia Gray; 4. Beau Knight.

Seattle

This year the show was added to the roster of notable events sponsored by Greater Seattle, Inc. No effort was too great and no detail too small to merit attention in order to make the show a finished production.

The Elliot and Verdun six horse hitch of flaxen maned Belgians thrilled the crowd with horsemanship of another day. Later 2 tons of mama and papa Belgian appeared with their week old offspring which cantered, kicked and almost fell down, then galloped off to hunt for his lunch counter. Sisler and his intelligent sheep dogs added a nice variety to the events. The twenty-four man Clackamas Posse performed part of their drill including the dangerous four way thread the needle without bridles and at a gallop.

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Portland

Hunter and jumper classes were increased this year and the entries were excellent. In the hunter division about 30 horses competed for the Philip Chipman Memorial championship. Dan Creary, home on a lucky furlough from the army, showed both his Spanish Hill and his wife's hunter Three Sheets and a surprise was the announcement at the end of the show of a tie between the two of them for high point hunter.

Champion jumper was Weylin Meyer's Captain Dynamite, a crowd-pleasing little horse if there ever was one. Twelve-year-old Weylin, the daughter of one of Portland's well known horsewomen Mrs. David C. Meyer, seems to be following in her mother's footsteps when it comes to winning blue ribbons.

**CORRESPONDENT
SHOW BIRD**

PLACE: Garden Home, Oregon.

TIME: Aug. 13-14.

JUDGE: J. S. Hargraves.

JUMPER CH.: Captain Dynamite, Weylin Meyer. HUNTER CH.: (tied) Spanish Hill, Dan Creary and Three Sheets, Mrs. Dan Creary.

HIGH POINT RIDER: Weylin Meyer.

SUMMARIES

Open jumpers — 1. Ridge Runner, Mrs. Robt. Ferry; 2. Captain Dynamite, Weylin Meyer; 3. The Footman, Cynthia Cookingham; 4. Hedge Hopper, Toby Walker.

Green hunters — 1. Footlight, Freeman Farms; 2. Red Forest, Charlene Erickson; 3. Cinderella Quick, S. P. Lewin; 4. Miss M'Lue, Mrs. I. M. Johnson.

Jr. owners class — 1. Muler's Me Too, Linda Barker; 2. Sindriña, Gayla McCreight; 3. Highland Beauty, Joanne Herron; 4. Charm of Calaway, Linda Conley.

Bar jumping event — 1. Shamrock, Vicki Lu Purcell; 2. Captain Dynamite; 3. Fallen Angel, G. E. Smith; 4. Copper King, Bill O'Connell.

Horsemanship, under 13 yrs. — 1. Joanne Herron; 2. Barbara Herron; 3. Kate McKenna; 4. Weylin Meyer.

Open hunters — 1. Spanish Hill, Dan Creary; 2. Coxe, Jan Sorrels; 3. Three Sheets, Mrs. Dan Creary; 4. Lord Dartmouth, Carol Hirsch.

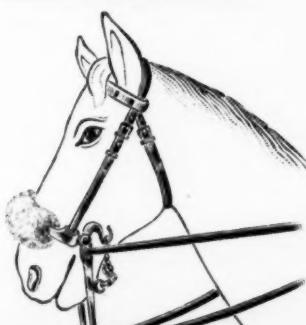
Junior jumpers — 1. Shamrock; 2. Captain Dynamite; 3. Red Forest; 4. Copper King.

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lop. A request from the "You Asked For It" program kept them working the better part of one night after the show, televising their drill.

The performances of the hunters and jumpers were not as good as they were last year. The hunter courses were improved but the jumping courses seemed less interesting. After very close competition thru out the show, one of the states busiest exhibitors, Miss Betty MacLane won the jumper championship with her gray mare, Wampus Kitty.

The hunter awards went to Oregon. The black picture horse Keep Rolling took the limit, hunters under saddle, and the stake to win the championship for his owner Mrs. I. M. Johnson of Portland.

Honey Kraven was presented a 10 gallon Western in appreciation of the fine job he did retrieving hats during the show.

CORRESPONDENT HELEN COOK

PLACE: Seattle, Washington.

TIME: Sept. 7-11.

JUDGES: Christopher Wadsworth, William J.

Cunningham.

HUNTER CH.: Keep Rolling, Mrs. I. M. Johnson.

RES.: Tattle Tale, Miriam Nordquist.

JUMPER CH.: Wampus Kitty, Betty MacLane.

RES.: Thunder, Mrs. H. E. Black.

SUMMARIES

Limit hunters—1. Keep Rolling, Mrs. I. M. Johnson; 2. Lord Dartmouth, Carol Hirsch; 3. Safe Conduct, Diana Cunningham; 4. Perchene, Dr. George Saunders.

Open jumpers—1. Wampus Kitty, Betty MacLane; 2. Thunder, Mrs. H. E. Black; 3. Copper King, Bill O'Connell; 4. Rayhak's Rahwan, Dianne Black.

Light weight hunters—1. Tattle Tale, Miriam Nordquist; 2. Monday's Child, Mrs. Jordan Payne; 3. Keep Rolling; 4. The Contender, Karlin Kurth.

Open jumpers: F. E. I.—1. Thunder; 2. Wampus Kitty; 3. Chittawney, Marilyn J. Severin; 4. Rayhak's Rahwan.

Middle and heavy weight hunters—1. Perchene; 2. Safe Conduct; 3. Scrap Iron, Lee Milburn; 4. Carol Hirsch; 5. Willyorwonty, Dr. C. Dietrich.

Open jumper—1. Copper King; 2. Rayhak's Rahwan; 3. Shamrockette, Mrs. J. W. Purcell; 4. Thunder.

Model hunters—1. Perchene; 2. Keep Rolling; 3. Galant Glory, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickie; 4. Monday's Child.

Hunters under saddle—1. Keep Rolling; 2. Perchene; 3. Chilliwack, Audrey Merfeld; 4. The Contender.

Ladies' hunters—1. Tattle Tale; 2. Perchene; 3. Bay Minx; 4. Scrap Iron.

Junior hacks—1. Chief of Idaho, Linda Vieths; 2. Sindbad Mahra, Lucia Bates; 3. Mr. H. B., Lynn Huff; 4. Ruff Time, Fay Padelford.

Hunters, amateurs to ride—1. Pretty Girl; 2. Monday's Child; 3. Tattle Tale; 4. Safe Conduct.

Open jumper—1. Thunder, Storm, Harvey Miller; 2. Wampus Kitty; 3. Thunder; 4. Little Beaver.

Hunting seat equitation: A. H. S. A.—1. Judy McCormick; 2. Miriam Nordquist; 3. Jean Penny; 4. Mary Reed; 5. Fay Padelford; 6. Carol Hirsch.

\$300 hunter stake—1. Keep Rolling; 2. Petty Girl; 3. Tattle Tale; 4. Willyorwonty; 5. Venture; 6. Miss Doran, Mrs. Lloyd Shortt.

\$300 jumper stake—1. Wampus Kitty; 2. Thunder; 3. Spendifrith, Harry Chapman; 4. Copper King; 5. Rayhak's Rahwan; 6. Chittawaney.

Snow Hill

CORRESPONDENT KELVIN ADKINS

PLACE: Snow Hill, Md.

TIME: Sept. 18.

JUDGE: Thomas T. Mott, Jr.

JUMPER CH.: Rusty, Green Brier Stables.

RES.: Donnie Brook, Shamrock Stables.

HUNTER CH.: Bon Bon, Mrs. Fred Hughes.

RES.: Muscovado, Mrs. Roland Koehler.

PONY CH.: Smokey Joe, Billy Boyce III.

RES.: Honey Bee, Billy Boyce III.

SUMMARIES

Small pony under saddle—1. Merry-O, Mrs. Robert V. Huntzman; 2. Limelight, Mrs. K. Barber; 3. Star, Mrs. K. Barber; 4. Cream Puff, Mrs. K. Barber.

Medium pony under saddle—1. Surprise, Nancy Lee Coburn; 2. Smokey Joe, Billy Boyce; 3.

Severn Black Opal, Kathy Barner; 4. Storm, Mrs. Robert V. Huntzman.

Large pony under saddle—1. Honey Bee, Billy Boyce; 2. Sirocco, A. Dawkins; 3. North Lite, Martha Sterbak; 4. Frosty Morn, Mrs. R. V. Huntzman.

Small pony hunters over fences—1. Limelight; 2. Cream Puff; 3. Starr; 4. Wee Willie Winkie, Hugo Hopkins.

Medium pony hunters over fences—1. Smokey Joe; 2. Severn Black Opal; 3. Storm; 4. Prince Charmin, Ann Dawkins.

Large pony hunters over fences—1. North Lite; 2. Honey Bee; 3. Frosty Morn; 4. Sirocco.

Hunter hack—1. Muscovado, Mrs. Roland Koehler; 2. Golden Venture, Louise Gilliam; 3. Catch Me, Martha Sterbak; 4. Bon-Bon, Mrs. F. J. Hughes.

Open jumpers—1. Donnie Brook, Shamrock Farm; 2. Rusty, Mrs. John Galloway; 3. Tip Off, Howard Polini; 4. Kildare, Bill Holden.

Green hunters over fences—1. Muscovado; 2. Golden Venture; 3. Hi Dawn, Blanche Jarvis; 4. Mamie Maud, Dr. Lee Lawry.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Hi-Li, F. J. Hughes; 2. Donnie Brook; 3. Tip Off; 4. Rusty.

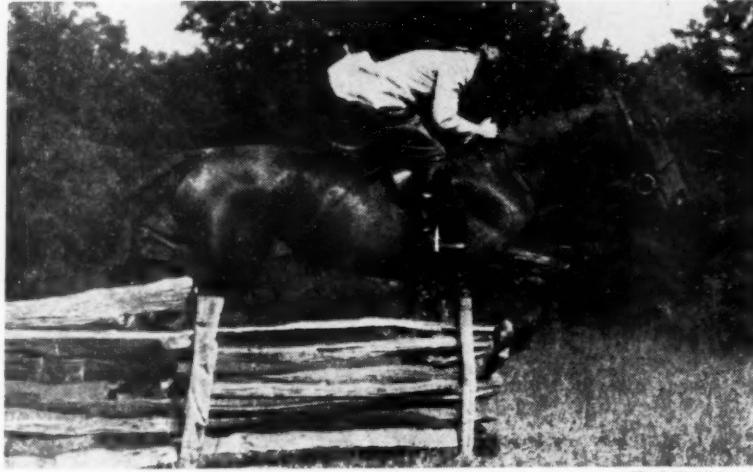
Horsemanship class—1. Kenneth Smullen; 2. Mary Louise Segafuso; 3. H. Houghton; 4. Catherine McNeal.

Handy hunter—1. Bon Bon; 2. Kilarney, Shamrock Farm; 3. Golden Venture; 4. Shinyo, Kelvin Adkins.

Pairs of hunters—1. Hi Dawn, Catch Me; 2. Grey Cloud, Mrs. Edna Muir, Ajax, H. Furbush; 3. Tip Off, Fool's Choice, Ralph Thompson; 4. Shinyo, Kilarney, Shamrock Farm.

Musical chairs—1. Bill Farlow.

Musical chairs—1. Neal Brittingham.



(Carl Dahlstrom)

ROANOKE, owned by E. W. Munson and ridden by Michael McDermott, reserve green hunter champion at the Smithtown (N. Y.) Horse Show.

Modified Olympic jumper stake—1. Rusty; 2. Tip-Off; 3. Hi-Li; 4. Donnie Brook.

Pleasure horse—1. Banner, Mrs. Louise Gilliam; 2. Gay Parader; 3. Lady, Betty Jones; 4. Evening Girl, George Callos.

Working hunter stake—1. Grey Cloud; 2. Catch Me; 3. Bon-Bon; 4. Kilarney.

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St. Anthony

When we arrived at the St. Anthony's Horse Show grounds it looked as though the show would have to be postponed for it was the morning after Hurricane Connie and the ring was a vast sea of mud. However, after load after load of gravel was spread around by bulldozer, the jumps were placed on fairly solid sections of ground and the show went on.

Vista's Ballerina, a newcomer to the Connecticut show circuit, won her first championship for owner John Rockwell.

CORRESPONDENT Virginia Lucey

PLACE: Prospect, Conn.

TIME: Aug. 14.

JUDGE: Frank Carroll

JUMPER CH.: Vista's Ballerina, Jack Rockwell

RES.: Rimwack, Louis Vogel

SUMMARIES

Open jumper — 1. Vista's Ballerina, Jack

Rockwell; 2. Flying Saucer, John Pace; 3. Coon Hound, Cliff Congdon; 4. My Rogue, Ed Ahlberg, Jr.

Pet Pony — 1. Chubby, Cherly Brown; 2. Sandy, Bonnie Lee Hanks; 3. Danny Boy, Thomas Hayes; 4. Daisy, Geraldine Becker; 5. Little Chief, Joann Ferro.

Knockdown and Out — 1. Rimwack; 2. Vista's Ballerina; 3. Coon Hound; 4. My Rogue.

Jumper, amateur to ride — 1. Rimwack; 2. Vista's Ballerina; 3. Vista's Ballerina; 4. Pitchfork, Cliff Congdon.

Jumper stake — 1. Pitchfork; 2. Flying Saucer; 3. My Rogue; 4. Vista's Ballerina.

Wilton

The Wilton 26th annual horse show seemed to have been run with great efficiency. The pony and pony horsemanship classes were all held on Friday. The hunter, hack and horsemanship classes were all on Saturday.

Meredith Parish rode her Mountaineer to win several classes and to capture the large pony horsemanship.

In the hunter division, Mrs. Ronald MacDonald's April Air, ridden by Bill Carver took the championship. Mrs. Carl Tucker's North Slope was reserve.

Nancy L., owned by the Stony Lone-

some Farms and ridden by Sibley Auchincloss captured the hack tri-color.

CORRESPONDENT JULIE KELLAM

PLACE: Wilton, Conn.

TIME: Sept. 2-3.

JUDGES: Mrs. Barbara Hanchett-Taylor, Charles Bernuth, Frank Carroll, George Morris.

LARGE PONY CH.: Mountaineer, Meredith Parish.

RES.: Silver Heels, Stetrel Kelsey.

SMALL PONY CH.: Mr. Chips, Elise Kelsey.

RES.: Little Britain, Hutchinson Stables.

PONY HORSEMANSHIP CH.: Meredith Parish.

RES.: Richard Keller.

HUNTER CH.: April Air, Mrs. Ronald Mac-Donald.

RES.: North Slope, Mrs. Carl Tucker.

HACK CH.: Nancy L., Stony Lonesome Farm.

RES.: Bayardo, Oliver D. Appleton.

HORSEMANSHIP CH.: Carol Wilson.

RES.: Richard Keller.

SUMMARIES

Large model ponies—1. Mountaineer, Meredith Parish; 2. Desert Rainbow, Nancy Cutler; 3. Meadow Sweet, New Canaan Mounted Troop; 4. New Moon, Roberta Dixon.

Small model ponies—1. Paddy Whack, Linda Parish; 2. Jimmy the Imp, Winnie Parish; 3. Copper Penny, Lisa Whitbeck; 4. Little Britain, Hutchinson Stables.

Horsemanship, under 12 years—1. Meredith Parish; 2. Sandra Nagro; 3. Susan Young; 4. Penny Johnson; 5. Mary Gay; 6. Linda Tribby.

Horsemanship jumping, 12 and over—1. Marilyn Hesse; 2. Richard Keller; 3. Elise Kelsey; 4.

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Horse Shows

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Sibley Auchincloss; 5. Toinette Tucker; 6. Beth Ifland.

Large pony hunters—1. Silver Heels, Sterret Kelsey; 2. Black Watch, Sibley Auchincloss; 3. Country Miss, New Canaan Mounted Troop; 4. Minuteman, Chieftains Farms.

Small pony hunters—1. Little Britain; 2. Mints, Georgia Forman; 3. Copper Penny; 4. Candy Whack.

Beginner's walk, trot—1. Jane Cogie; 2. Judy Matnews; 3. Tom Webber; 4. Jose Dzembra; 5. Linda Anderson; 6. Andre Toilefisen.

Large pony hacks—1. Mountaineer; 2. Meadow Sweet; 3. Black Watch; 4. Silver Heels.

Small pony hacks—1. Mr. Chips, Elsie Kelsey; 2. Little Britain; 3. Pumpkin Seed, Susan Smith; 4. Mints.

Maiden horsemanship—1. Penny Johnson; 2. Kerry Fredericks; 3. Sandra Nagro; 4. Penny Marty; 5. Betsy-Ray Arnold; 6. Nancy Cutler.

Pairs of pony hacks—1. Tom Thump, Toinette Tucker, Mountaineer; 2. Black Watch, Elsie Kelsey, Richard Keller; 3. Mommy's Boy, Judy Armstrong, Bo Peep, Kanyengen Farms; 4. Sea Spray, Susan Smith, Pumpkin Seed.

Horseman jumping under 12 yrs., div. a.—1. Stephannie Tucker; 2. Linda Tribby; 3. Kerry Fredericks; 4. Meredith Parish; 5. Beth Ifland; 6. Sandra Nagro; 7. Mary Gay; 8. Winnie Parish.

Pairs of pony hunters—1. Thunder Clap, Hutchinson Stables; Silver Heels; 2. Little Britain, Copper Penny; 3. Mr. Chips, Mints; 4. Sky Rocket, New Canaan Mounted Troop, Meadow Sweet.

Horsemanship, 12 yrs. and over—1. Richard Keller; 2. Marilyn Hesse; 3. Beth Ifland; 4. Cookie Van Beck; 5. Toinette Tucker; 6. Sterret Kelsey.

Large pony jumpers—1. Sky Rocket; 2. Chicco; 3. Jumbo Girl; 4. Toinette Tucker; 5. Thunder Clap.

Small pony jumpers—1. Mr. Chips; 2. Midnight, Kanyengen Farms; 3. Mints; 4. Copper Penny.

Bareback horsemanship—1. Penny Johnson; 2. Richard Keller; 3. Kathy Young; 4. Sue Young; 5. Meredith Parish; 6. Toinette Tucker.

Maiden horsemanship, jumping—1. Sandra Nagro; 2. Kerry Fredericks; 3. Amy Chapin; 4. Stephannie Tucker; 5. Winnie Parish; 6. Helen.

Children's hacks—1. Nancy L, Stony Lonesome Farm; 2. Lucky Chance, Sian Fredericks; 3. Mexico, Richard Keller; 4. Sir Pigeon, Susan Aldrich.

Maiden horsemanship—1. Sandra Quinn; 2. Peggy Graham; 3. Marcia Hunt; 4. Sian Fredericks; 5. Sibley Auchincloss; 6. Gilbert Kann.

Horseman jumping, 12 and under—1. Susie Smith; 2. Beth Ifland; 3. Kerry Fredericks; 4. Susan Young; 5. Toinette Tucker; 6. Sally Cogie.

Lightweight hunters—1. Fox Fire, Gilbert Kann; 2. North Slope, Mrs. Carol Tucker; 3. Beau Sabre, Mrs. Ira F. Warner; 4. Mexico.

Novice horsemanship—1. Gilbert Kann; 2. Sheila Moran; 3. Meunda Singleton; 4. Sally Cogie; 5. Susan Young; 6. Kathy Young.

Middle and heavyweight hunters—1. April Air, Mrs. Ronald MacDonald; 2. Daniel Boone; 3. Cosmo Topper, Sue White, John Henry, Judy White; 4. North Slope, Bayardo.

Bridle path hacks—1. North Slope; 2. Bayardo; 3. Ficor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Hawkins; 4. Eve's Bill, Mrs. Ira F. Warner.

Open horsemanship, 10 and under—1. Penny Marty; 2. Susan Young; 3. Christie Fitz Randolph; 4. Mary Gay; 5. Stephanie Tucker; 6. Didi Chapin.

Horseman jumping, 18 and under—1. Richard Keller; 2. Sue White; 3. Betsy O'Shea; 4. Judy White.

Adult horsemanship—1. Bill Carver; 2. Mrs. Eve Warner; 3. Lyn Babcock; 4. Mrs. Gordon Auchincloss; 5. Don Slatier; 6. Mrs. Ronald MacDonald.

Open horsemanship—1. Carol Wilson; 2. Sue White; 3. Judy White; 4. Ann Peck; 5. Betsy O'Shea; 6. Linda Fitz Randolph.

Open hunters—1. April Air; 2. Bayardo; 3. North Slope; 4. Fox Fire.

Local hacks—1. Upway Smokey Terik, Betsy Scaife; 2. Nancy L; 3. Entry, Marianne Pinchot; 4. Burgundy, Cookie Van Beck.

Pairs of hacks—1. North Slope, Bayardo; 2. Daniel Boone, His Highness, Thomas Gomez; 3. Mexico, April Air; 4. Meadow Lark, New Canaan Mounted Troop, Son of Aries, Beth Ifland.

Hunter hacks—1. North Slope; 2. Bayardo; 3. Cimba, Mrs. G. B. Pinchot; 4. Mexico.

Open horsemanship, 16 and under—1. Carol Wilson; 2. Susan White; 3. Judy White; 4. Ann Peck; 5. Judy Armstrong; 6. Richard Keller.

Henry Bergh trophy—1. Cookie Van Beck; 2.

SHOWING



(Budd Photo)

Myrna Felvey rode William Brewster's LITTLE SOMBRERO to the open green working hunter championship at the Westchester Country Club Horse Show, N. Y.

Richard Keller; 3. Susan White; 4. Judy White; 5. Kathy Young; 6. Betsy O'Shea.

Handy hunters—1. Ronnie; 2. North Slope; 3. Fox Fire; 4. April Air.

Pleasure hacks—1. Bayardo; 2. Nancy L; 3. North Slope; 4. Cimba.

Open horsemanship, 12 and under—1. Beth Ifland; 2. Kathy Young; 3. Sibley Auchincloss; 4. Sally Cogie; 5. Susan Young; 6. Kerry Fredericks.

Pairs of hacks—1. Nancy L, Holiday Time, Marcia Hunt; 2. Son of Aries, Lucky Chance; 3. Cosmo Topper, Sue White, John Henry, Judy White; 4. North Slope, Bayardo.

Westchester

After a lapse of 15 years the Westchester Country Club was again host to one of the largest shows in the country. Over 1500 entries were run off without a hitch and a really great show had its comeback with a splash of grandeur.

That wonderfully consistent Kimberling, owned by Kimberton Hill Farm, was guided by Raymond to win 6 classes, the working championship, and finally the grand award. Raymond also took the reserve green working title with Kimberton's Kimberton Vike. Myrna Felvey, on W. J. Brewster's smooth bay, Little Sombrero took 4 blues and the green working championship.

The conformation division was the lightest, as is usual in this area, but was filled with quality. Miss Peggy Augustus

on her most beautiful Waiting Home was the tops in the open division over the Cummins-Chicago Corporation's Count to Ten. The green hunters were topped by a big chestnut horse by Wait-A-Bit, Shannondale, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith and ably piloted by Mrs. Robert Burke, outpointed the nice gray of Fairview Farm's, Mawingo, ridden by John Rooks.

An Olympic hopeful, George Morris, jumped his mother's The Gigolo to the jumper tricolor over veteran campaigner Bedford, owned by Irl Daffin and shown superbly by Dave Kelley for the injured Joe Green. The green jumpers showed many promising new faces. The champion, Riviera Wonder, ridden by Al Fiore and owned by Bernie Mann, also took the stake money over the reserve, Voleo's Dartmoor, owned by Norman Coates and ridden by Sonny Brooks.

The children's horse tricolor was captured by Rosalind LaRoche on her Good Luck — narrowly outpointing Elizabeth Few on Balthazar.

Ronnie Catalano continued his winning ways to be pinned on top over a field of good jockeys. Julie Kellam was in the reserve spot.

CORRESPONDENT Beep

PLACE: Rye, N. Y.

TIME: Sept. 30 — Oct. 2
JUDGES: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carver, Eric Atterbury, Thomas Mason, George Elliot, N. J. Fletcher, Christopher Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald

HUNTER CH: Waiting Home, Miss Peggy Augustus.

Res: Count to Ten, Cummins Chicago Corp. WORKING HUNTER CH: Kimberling, Kimberton Hill Farm.

Res: Naute Mia, Saxon Woods Farm.

GREEN HUNTER CH: Shannondale, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith.

Res: Mawingo, Fairview Farms.

GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Little Sombrero, W. J. Brewster.

Res: Kimberton Vike, Kimberton Hill Farm.

JUMPER CH: The Gigolo, Mrs. Harry Morris. Res: Bedford, Irl Daffin.

GREEN JUMPER CH: Riviera Wonder, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris.

Res: Voleo's Dartmoor, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coates.

CHILDREN'S HORSE CH: Good Luck, Rosalind LaRoche.

Res: Balthazar, Elizabeth Few.

HORSEMANSHIP CH: Ronnie Catalano.

Res: Julie Kellam.

SUMMARIES

Model hunters — 1. Waiting Home, Peggy Augustus; 2. Strideaway, Mrs. Charles Goren; 3. Count to Ten, Cummins Chicago Corp.; 4. Chappaqua, Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Paxton.

Model green hunters — 1. Eden Roc, Mrs. Sallie J. Sexton; 2. Shannondale, Mr. and Mrs.

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Riding In France Today

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In France, as in the case of the military establishments of so many other countries, the cavalry arm was almost totally abolished during the last war. In consequence many people believed that riding was doomed to disappear. Happily they were quite wrong. Surprising as it may seem the interest in riding in France to-day is growing at a constantly accelerating rate.

The desire to ride which young men could formerly gratify by enlisting in the cavalry, is now taken care of by riding schools and riding clubs. This sport, which in former times was a luxury available to only a few rich civilians, is now available to many, thanks to the creation of numerous Societies which have pooled expenses, enabling the members to enjoy riding at very modest rates, some of them for as little as a dollar an hour.

In Paris and in many other towns are riding schools which rent horses and give lessons. They also board horses belonging to others for an average price of about two dollars a day. In the town are various "Societes Hippiques Urbaines" which own their own horses and also use horses rented by riding schools. In the country districts are similar "Societes Hippiques Rurales" which, in addition to their own horses, make use of horses owned by members, saddle horses, hunters and even draft horses. All these societies ride regularly and include many women among their members. They are increasing steadily in number, from 208 in 1952 to 268 in 1954.

The Federation des Sports Equestres, which is the governing body of French horse shows (concours hippiques), also reports an encouraging increase in activity. In 1952 there were authorized to compete in shows 1109 riders, in 1954 1160. In 1952 there were 249 authorized

shows, in 1954 256. On June 26th, 1955 there were no less than 16 shows being held in different parts of France.

Many labor unions and other workers associations have riding clubs such as Le Cercle Hippique des Chemins de Fer; Le Club Hippique de la Prefecture de Police; La Section Hippique du Metropolitain (subway workers); La Section Hippique Shell (oil workers) etc. Riders from all these sections take part in all types



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German tendency, the horse's head placed as for Dressage, the horse's back "caved-in".

of horse shows from the most elementary to international levels.

In France, which in the past enjoyed a world-wide reputation for her schools of equitation, the tradition is to-day maintained in two military centers, Fontainebleau for riding sports, Saumur for dressage and Haute-Ecole. At these



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The forward or balanced seat was adopted by most continental countries before the last war and has worked very marked improvement, particularly among the Irish and English who were among the last to resist it.

Before the war the Germans had developed an admirable and homogeneous school, but have now abandoned it for more individualistic styles, influenced to a considerable extent by the extreme collection of dressage. The Spaniards ride with an abandon and enthusiasm reminiscent of the bull fight. Both Portugal and Italy have developed excellent teams.

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CATCHING A PONY

I have a pony who is hard to catch. What can I do about it?—J. D. (Merymeet, Cornwall).

This is, of course, a very common trouble with horses and ponies running out, and there is, so far as we know, no final answer to it. But, from our own experience, we can recommend the following drill as being generally successful: Next time you turn the pony out, do so with a head-collar on her. Be careful to see that it is so adjusted that it cannot slip or cause galls. Then when you next want to catch her, take a colander with dry bread or some other tid-bit, let her put her mouth right into the colander and start eating, then quietly take hold of the head-collar. It is important not to have anything with you, such as dogs, which would encourage the cattle to come towards you and thereby excite the pony. It is also a useful idea to walk about the field for a few moments first — in sight of the pony but without taking any notice of her. THE FIELD — August 18, 1955. AND you could always lop off a few branches and advance on the unsuspecting creature, like "Great Birnam wood to high Dunsinane hill" (MACBETH) — E. P.

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HUNTING



Hunter Trials

Battle Creek

The Battle Creek Trials were blessed with a beautiful cool sunny day last Saturday. The crowd was not very large, due to the Mich.-Mich. State football game that afternoon, but the entries were large, and the real enthusiasts were there anyway.

The coveted B. C. Hunt Challenge Trophy was won this year by Mr. John F. Miller of Indianapolis, Ind. on his newly



(Henry Koro Photo)

H. T. O'Connell, Joint-Master of the Lake of Two Mountains Hunt, Quebec, Can.

acquired Statesman, a nice big Canadian four-year-old.

After the Trials, a dinner was held in the Club House for exhibitors, guests, and the landowners. The following morning everyone turned out for our first hunt of the year, and we had a very good run.

CORRESPONDENT BOSTON

PLACE: Battle Creek, Michigan.
TIME: Oct. 1.
JUDGE: John Brant.

SUMMARIES

Junior working hunters for children under 13—1. Cabello de Ora, Shannon Morse; 2. Country Cousin, Mary Humphrey; 3. Darby, Roger Beamish.

Green hunters—1. Snowman, Angela Erickson; 2. Kay's KooDoo, Kay McLaughlin; 3. Meo, P. T. Cheff; 4. Slow Motion, Mrs. Joe McCluskey.

Lightweight hunters—1. Ginoky, Mrs. Gerald Helder; 2. Wedgewood, Christy Firestone; 3. Rose Umber, Carl Miller, Jr.

Hunter under saddle—1. Miss McNeil II, Fred Bouderman; 2. Wedgewood, Christy Firestone; 3. Ginoky; 4. Kay's Koodoo.

Junior working hunters for children 13-18—1. Arctic Night, Mrs. F. N. Huebner; 2. Charm, Pat Buck; 3. Cricket, Betty F. McGuire; 4. Real Estate, Pat Brown.

Middle and heavyweight—1. Vagabond, P. T. Cheff; 2. Meo; 3. Canvas Master, Lynn Stoddard; 4. Statesman, John F. Miller.

Battle Creek Hunt challenge trophy for Corinthian hunters—1. Statesman; 2. Miss McNeil II; 3. Arctic Night; 4. Wedgewood.

Hunt teams—1. Blue Smoke, Lynne Cartier, Canvas Master, Rose Umber; 2. Victory, L. L. Trone, Vagabond, Miss McNeil II.

The Oaks

Perfect weather and a good crowd marked the annual Oaks Hunt hunter trials at Brookville, L. I.

Dr. Daniel P. Twohig, Hon. Huntsman of The Oaks, was Chairman of the trials with Mrs. Simone Vaillant and Mrs. Edward Reilly as his assistants.

George Nash and Tim Petruos were ring stewards.

Hunter champion was The Gem, owned and ridden by Harry Weisfield, with Joseph Bender's Major reserve, Mary Roche riding. Jumper champion was Samur, with Erin-go-bragh reserve. Both

JUMPER CH: Samur, Pierre Dauvergne
RES: Erin-go-bragh, Pierre Dauvergne
JUNIOR CH: Linda Rosencrans
RES: Fiona Field

SUMMARIES

Limit hunters — 1. Major; 2. The Gem; 3. William Tell, Dr. Emory Horn, owner-rider; 4. Flame, Joan Andres.

Middle and heavyweight hunters — 1. Diamond, Harry Weisfield; 2. Major; William Tell; 4. Paris, Pierre Dauvergne.

Lightweight hunters — 1. The Gem; 2. Rockaway, Brookville Stables; 3. Cannie Danny, Serena Lewis; 4. Palace Greek, Galt Williams.

Children's hunters — 1. Glory-San, Fiona Field; 2. Lady Heather, David Rintoul; 3. Happy Way, Sanford Cahn.

Ladies hunters — 1. Glory-San; 2. Rockaway; 3. Major; 4. Irish Lad, Charles Valiant.

Gentlemen's hunters — 1. William Tell, Dr. Emory Horn; 2. The Gem; 3. Paris; 4. Beauregard.

The Masters trophy — 1. The Diamond; 2. The Gem; 3. Paris 4. Beauregard.

Hunters any weight — 1. The Gem; 2. The Diamond; 3. William Tell; 4. Major.

Pairs of hunters — 1. Paris and Irish Lad, Mr. Charles Valiant; 2. Flame and Whiskey, Denise Dentan; 3. Sir William and Lady Luck, Thomas School of Horsemanship.

Local jumpers — 1. Erin-go-bragh, Pierre Dauvergne; 2. Mr. Brookville, Brookville Stables; 3. Versailles, Pierre Dauvergne; 4. The Diamond.

Junior Olympic — 1. Trader Horn, Thomas School of Horsemanship; 2. Mr. Brookville; 3. Sloe Gin, Bobby Connell; 4. Midnight, Thomas School.

Open jumpers, amateurs to ride — 1. Erin-go-bragh; 2. Samur; 3. Sloe Gin; 4. Manners, Joe Shields.

Touch and out — 1. The Diamond; 2. Mr. Brookville; 3. Erin-go-bragh; 4. Redwood, Lou Gart.

Handy hunters — 1. Major; 2. Paris; 3. Mid-night; 4. Beauregard.

Open jumpers — 1. Samur; 2. Trader Horn; 3. Redwood; 4. Sloe Gin.

Hunter hacks — 1. The Gem; 2. Major. Knockdown and out — 1. Samur; 2. Erin-go-bragh; 3. Mr. Brookville; 4. Billy-do, Johnny Dauvergne.

Limit horsemanship — 1. Linda Rosencrans; 2. Susan Gurin; 3. Yvette Cahn; 4. Serena Lewis.

Limit horsemanship over fences — 1. Linda Rosencrans; 2. Susan Jolly; 3. Fran Fricker; 4. Denise Dentan.

Junior hacks — 1. Fiona Field; 2. David Rintoul; 3. Denise Dentan.

Open horsemanship — 1. Fiona Field; 2. Joan Jolly; 3. Susan Gurin; 4. Serena Lewis.

Open horsemanship (under 14 years) — 1. Linda Rosencrans; 2. Yvette Cahn; 3. Linda Thomas; 4. Peter Margolies.

The Serpentine — 1. Lady Luck, Linda Thomas; 2. The Farmers Daughter, Carolyn Arcaro; 3. Hill Billy, Susan Gurin.

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Hidden Hill

The fifth annual Hunter Trials at Williamsville finally had a break in the weather and as a result the spectators and competitors turned out in full force, especially from the Genesee Valley. Those from the Valley took home the greatest number of ribbons. In the Nakoma Steeplechase three horses went to the post, Brun de Gris owned and ridden by Franz Stone; Hoodwink ridden by Don Yull; and Fencer ridden by Continued on Page 33

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Hunting in Holland

Prince Bernhard An Active Master

Wouter Slob

Before the last World War two packs of hounds were kept in Holland, viz. the hounds of the "Royal Dutch Hunt" and those of the "Hubertus Hunt". The latter pack consisted of harriers whereas the former was composed of foxhounds. But it was only the pack of the "Hubertus Hunt" which ran live quarry (the hare), while the foxhounds of the "Royal Hunt" ran a drag which was carefully laid beforehand by the Huntsman. The reason was that nearly everywhere in Holland the ground is cultivated and divided into very small plots, large land-ownership being well-nigh unknown. Demarcation between the fields and pastures in most cases is by barbed wire and wet ditches. Only in such provinces as have sandy soil and are not at low-level therefore are hedges and dry ditches met with, and only in these parts is hunting possible. There broad sandy roads make riding attractive, forests beautify the region and large ownership makes it easier to get permission to hunt.

During the last war the hounds of both Dutch hunts disappeared and it goes without saying that it took a lot of money and trouble to build up good packs after the war was over. Due largely to the interest taken by Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, the "Royal Hunt" contrived to take the field again: the Prince became Master of Hounds and at the same time bought a number of foxhounds in England out of the kennels of the Duke of Beaufort. In this way the

tive for many Dutch riders to take up this equestrian sport. To the hundreds of young riders in the low countries the participation of the young Princesses in hunting has also meant a fresh stimulus. For the first time members of the rural riding clubs have started to follow hounds officially and in large numbers. Just as in Germany, there are hundreds of farmer riding clubs in Holland with several thousands of members. Because the horses are also used for farm work they are not fast, but this can be overcome by laying the drag expertly. The horses are mostly of Ost Frisian-Oldenburg stock.



The Veluwe Hunt in Holland, M. F. H. Henson in the foreground.



The Royal Dutch Hunt—Members of the Field riding on a beach of the North Sea.

"Royal Hunt" acquired about 20 hounds which were entrusted to the care of the Hon. Huntsman Dr. Gilissen. Before the war Mr. Gilissen had founded the "Hubertus Hunt" of which he was Master. He is doubtless Holland's greatest expert in the field of coursing, has hunted in many countries behind all kinds of packs and has set down his experience in several books and articles. Mr. Gilissen soon had his hounds well in hand and was able to start hunting not long after his return from England. In 1949, with Prince Bernhard as Master, hounds began to hunt the country near the town of Amersfoort.

This interest in hunting, on the part of the Royal Family, has been an incen-

Far less known is the pack of the "Veluwe Hunt" which was formed shortly after the war by the well-known rider of jumpers Mr. Hensen. This pack is composed of harriers bought abroad or which belonged to the former "Hubertus Hunt". Mr. Hensen also trained the harriers for drag hunting and it is said that his pack is even faster than the "Royal Hunt". The "Veluwe" hunts mostly in the southeastern and southern regions of the country and it is a great tribute to Mr. Hensen that he reached his goal without special patronage. By acquiring a foxhound stud dog in England to cross with his bitches he has increased the size and number of the pack.

In spite of the fact that circumstances in Holland appear to be particularly un-

favorable for hunting, it is a pleasure to record that interest in the sport is still growing.

Charles Morris

A. Henry Higginson has sent us the following additional details about Charles Morris whose death was reported in our issue of Sept. 30.

Morris came to me as a Second Whipper-in of the Middlesex in 1911, having acted in that capacity at the Badsworth during the season of 1910. He left that Hunt because of a very bad fall he had, in which he broke his left arm. This injury troubled him for several years, but he seemed to be able to do his work perfectly well.

Morris was one of the most brilliant whippers-in I have ever had, and looking back to-day over a somewhat protracted

(Wouter Slob Photo)

period, it does not seem to me that I have ever had such an excellent man turning hounds for me. He was one of the best horsemen I ever saw; moreover, he knew his business in the field and in kennels perfectly well. Towards the end of his stay I put him in charge of the stable as well as the kennels. Possessed of a beautiful voice, he knew when to use it and when to keep quiet, something that many members of his profession do not know.

I knew he had a fiancee in England, and when I saw that he was going to be satisfactory Mrs. Higginson and I built a little house for him, and he sent for his fiancee. When she arrived they were married, and as far as I can find out lived happily ever after.

Morris stayed with me for many years, stayed in fact until I gave up the pack in 1919, and during that time I had little fault to find with him. After he left me he was in the service of Mr. George Beardmore in Canada for a number of years, and I know that during that period he gave the Duke of Windsor a good day or two behind the Toronto and North York of which he was Huntsman at that time.

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Letters To The Editor

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a suburb of New York City and boarding horses at a local stable. Learning to do for the horses ourselves brought many problems and interesting experiences but none more interesting than coping with feet.

We are fortunate in having an excellent farrier in the area but he is not always available and besides, we have our horses turned out most of the time and shod horses are potentially dangerous to one another. The horses are out every possible minute for two reasons; one is that we feel strongly that the less time a horse spends cooped up in a box the better off he is. The other reason is that we do our own work and so far we have not been able to housebreak our friends, equine, that is.

This led us to wondering about riding barefoot horses and we attempted to get some information and advice on the subject. We talked with horse owners, trainers, breeders. We talked with amateurs and professionals, we read books. But not one piece of useful advice did we get. Misinformation was to be had in abundance. But opinion was so contradictory we reasoned that if knowledge of the subject existed we couldn't find it and the only way to prove anything was to go ahead, cautiously, and see what happened.

Here's what we found — you can ride a barefoot horse, any season, any weather, and continuously; farrier's attentions are unnecessary and could even be upsetting; a healthy horse will not develop serious hoof cracks; a horse does not need any time to get used to shoes after being barefoot. I can't say how broadly these observations can be applied, they apply to the horses we ride, three of which have been here with us for four years, and half dozen others for lesser periods. Our horses wander at will 24 hours a day over a hundred acres except during very cold weather when they are put in at night but only at night. Also, and we believe this is very important, they are fed every day on a high protein feed we mix ourselves and which contains a very high percentage of 32% dairy supplement.

We don't believe that a horse ever should be turned out to graze for all his nourishment unless his working days are over. There may be pastures where a horse can get the complete essentials he needs but I know we do not have such in this country. To us, it's silly to give a horse a "vacation" during the summer months and then expect that a few weeks grain intake and exercise will put him back into shape to work. We have found that daily feeding in amounts decided by the energy the horse expends, produce tough hoofs with a frog that actually rings when tapped with a hoof pick. We believe that bone development and muscle tone must be similar.

Typical of the demands we make on our horses was last Christmas week end when one of my daughters and I rode 25 miles a day for three days through the Mohawk Mountain State Forest, over frozen gravel roads, woods trails, deep snow, and icy ruts. We used the same two horses throughout and at the end of the third day the horses were still fresh and sound. We had no falls and few incidents. These were barefoot horses, horses which virtually live outdoors.

So far as trimming hoofs is concerned we think you can't improve on nature and it's silly to try. In his natural environment a horse is almost continuously on the move eating and searching for

food. If under man's care he can still move around with reasonable freedom the hoof contour will adapt to the way the horse places his weight, we have observed. The rub comes when man "levels" the foot and puts on a shoe. In the first place, nature gave the horse the frog to cushion his step, and leg bone to support his body. Even a properly applied shoe conflicts with the function of the frog by placing a portion of the weight on the shell and subsequently causing a maldistribution of the weight in the leg. Whether or not a shoe is used, when a mere man attempts to shape a hoof the way he thinks it should be, he's going to bat with two strikes on him. If trimming of the hoof changes, either deliberately or inadvertently, distribution of weight while in stride, there's bound to be trouble. And I understand that this trouble can appear in remote places and the owner may never realize he's given truth to the adage No Foot, No Horse.

We're come-lately in this and we don't have the remotest idea about whether we could do elsewhere and with other horses the things we have been, and are doing here. We know flexibility is important when dealing with animals. We know that no two horses will react identically even under identical circumstances. We do shoe horses for special purposes, and when a dry summer turns dirt roads into concrete-hard surfaces we sometimes put shoes on in front. We believe we have open minds and are trying

to learn, you might even say we started at the bottom — with the horses' feet.

Sincerely,

John E. O'Brien
West Goshen, Connecticut

IMPORTS DROWNED AT SEA

Questions were asked in the British sporting Press recently as to what became of the sire Godolphin, foaled 1818, by Partisan, out of Ridicule, by Shuttle, her dam, sister to Oatlands, by Dungenon out of Letitia by Highflyer—Matchem-Blank. He had not many mares in Great Britain 1828-29 and went to Germany, but was repurchased by Mr. Tattersall, got several winners in England, and was then sold to Mr. Avery for export. I was appealed to for further details and found the following announcement in The New Sporting Magazine for February 1832:

We are sorry to hear that the well-known stallion Godolphin, and all the mares, purchased at very high prices by Mr. Avery, were literally beat to pieces on their voyage to Virginia from the constant high winds which have prevailed. All possible care was taken of them, having their stalls lined with bedding, and an English groom in attendance, but to no purpose. We believe Mr. Avery had insured to the small value of £900 only, by which he must be a very considerable loser. . . . J. F. B.

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Cowdray Park Tournament

Evelyn Prescott

A total of thirty-two teams assembled during Goodwood week to play in three tournaments; the Holden White Cup for low-goal teams; the Junior Cowdray Park Cup; and the high-goal Cowdray Park Cup.

Again the Queen came to watch the semi-finals, July 28th, of the high-goal cup. However, in spite of the efforts of Hanut Singh and the Duke of Edinburgh, Silver Ley's ran out the winners by 8½ goals to 5 over Cowdray Park.

In the second semi-finals, the Greyhounds were defeated for the first time this season by Friar Park.

Before the finals, held on Bank Holiday, the two teams and spectators stood for a minute's silence in memory of Col. Alistair Gibb.

Brigadier Gannon writing in THE FIELD, tells us that "McConnel has fitted in tactically very neatly with the two big guns of the Friar Park side, Lalor and Guinness, both in top form, and their win by eight goals to four and a half was a fair result". Their game against Silver Ley's was really a pleasure to watch with much clean, long hitting.

Another Friar Park team made the finals for the Junior Cowdray Park Cup. Here they met Hanut Singh's new youthful Ratanada team which has three players all under 30 who play extremely well under his excellent leadership. The 21 year old Hill is exceptionally accurate in front of the goal. The Friar Park team with the brilliant Lalor put up a strong fight so the score was still 3 all entering the last period. Both sides scored again with long runs and then, just before the bell, Hanut passed a long shot to Hill who picked it up and steered it through a melee to a 5-4 victory for Ratanada.

The older and more experienced 'Jersey Lillies' and the youthful 'Beechwood' had battled through the 15 entries for the Holden White Cup. It was a capital match with the score 4 all in the last chukka when team capt. Billy Wallace, aided by his gallant old grey Arab, drove home an attack that produced the winning goal for Beechwood.

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Ivory Rangers Defeat Washington Squires

Richard Moran

On a beautiful Indian Summer Sunday afternoon, October 2, before a crowd of over 1000 polo fans, the hard-hitting Ivory Rangers of Detroit walloped in eight goals to the Washington Squires' five at Barnsley Field, Olney, Maryland, the home of the Washington Polo Club. It was a hard-won victory for the Rangers, who trailed behind two goals to Washington's four at the fourth chukker. No half-time was called as the teams

raced against the sun to complete the seven chukker game before twilight.

The Squires shoved off with a drive down-field for their first tally in the opening 30 seconds of play. Lew Smith put the ball through the uprights, after Bill Beall and Don Bradley of the Squires brought it from center field. This rapid-fire scoring started two minutes of furious activity. It appeared that neither side would score, when suddenly George Sherman of the Rangers broke loose. Almost immediately afterwards, and mere seconds before the end of the first chukker, Bill Beall tapped the ball home after the Squire's Doctor Johnny Keeler brought it up to scoring position.

The Ranger's young Jack Stefani followed home the only score of the second chukker. Lew Smith opened up the third with a goal on a long 60-yard foul shot, called against the Rangers for dangerous riding. He scored again in the final seconds of the chukker on a spectacular drive down the field. The Squires led four to two as the fourth chukker opened.

In an every-where-at-once defensive strategy, Jack Ivory of the Rangers held back several scoring threats by the Squires in the fourth and fifth chukkers, giving Mac Stefani the opportunity to ring-up one goal late in the fourth. The sixth chukker saw another goal driven home with 30 seconds of opening play by the Ranger's Sherman. Before the chukker ended, Jack Stefani had scored another two goals, bringing the score to

six-four, favor the Rangers.

The seventh and last chukker was a whirlpool of dust, horses and flying polo sticks. On a spectacular drive down the field by Don Bradley early in the period, Lew Smith picked up the ball on the far side of the field and from a distance of 70 yards put it squarely between the markers. Mac Stefani drove the ball home shortly thereafter and Sherman, with a tricky cross back-hand shot scored again for the Rangers. In the last few seconds of play, Mike Wacker flipped the last shot through the goal for the Rangers, with an under the tail back-hand shot.

Lineups

The Squires		Ivory Rangers
1. Dr. J. Keeler	J. Stefani	
2. D. Bradley	M. Stefani	
3. L. Smith	J. Ivory	
4. W. Beall	G. Sherman	
Alt. H. Cunningham	Alt. M. Wacker	
Referee: George Kitteridge		
Time: 7 minute chukkers		
Goals: Beall 1; Smith 4; Jack Stefani 3; Mac Stefani 2; Sherman 2; Wacker 1.		
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Cool Weather Brings Polo Activity to Tucson, Ariz.

Willard H. Porter

About the first of October, after a hot and rainy summer season, the Pima County Polo Club held its initial fall meeting at the indoor-type arena on East Fort Lowell Road, east of Tucson, Arizona. A few days later the first informal scrimmages brought out the Old Guard and a couple of new comers to the PCPC group this year.

One is Link Brigham of Phoenix, Arizona, who last year played with a Phoenix team. He has had his horses in Tucson now and has elected to drive from Phoenix each week end to play at Tucson. That's enthusiasm for you!

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(Charles White Photo)
Polo enthusiasts at Cowdray Park—(l. to r.): The Queen, Duke of Edinburgh and Lord and Lady Cowdray.

Arizona Polo

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The other new comer is Tony Mills of St. Charles, Illinois. Mills played on the strong Stanford University team last year along with Juan Reynal and Dave Duff. This team won at Tucson in a round robin tournament around Christmas time.

Mills has now transferred to the University of Arizona. He has two splendid indoor polo ponies, and since there is no formal U. of A. polo team this year, he will make a strong addition to the forces of the PCPC.

The Old Guard, men who have been playing with the PCPC for at least a year, include Jack Goodman, John Donaldson, Jim Douglas, George Hilliard, Jack Stilb, Steve Rainsford and George Masek.

No formal matches have been scheduled as yet, but another round robin tournament around Christmas time was talked about at the meeting. It is hoped at that time that at least three or four teams can be gathered together at Tucson for the tournament play.

But for awhile, both men and horses will have to get back in shape after the long summer lay-off. So slow, informal scrimmages will be in vogue on week ends for at least a month or so.

— W. H. P.

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Philadelphia and Maule Farms Score Victories At Brandywine Arena**Bob Gallagher**

A doubleheader of polo action finally got underway in the Brandywine Arena near Kennett Square, Pa. Sunday October 2nd after rainouts the preceding Wednesday and Sunday.

Phila. edged Chadds Ford 7-5 in the opening game while Maule Farms mauled the All Stars 15-4 in the second contest.

Chadds Ford held its own for the first two chukkers but did a gradual fade in the last two frames. Lyle Phillips grabbed the ball from Norm Taylor to push it in for the opening tally in the first chukker as Taylor was attempting a save from the goal mouth. Before time expired in the chukker Taylor had his revenge by taking advantage of a free foul shot to give the scoreboard a 1-1 first period reading.

As far as scoring went the big chukker was the second with E. W. King starting things off with the tie breaking goal for Phila. He added another with an off side fore shot from an angle about 25 yards out. Then Norm Taylor broke through twice for Chadds Ford to make it a new game at 3-3. Shortly after Phila.'s steady back, Ed Yetter stepped into an offensive role to move one and give his team a slim 4-3 half time lead.

Phila. clicked again in the third stanza with another 3 goal burst, at the same time holding Chadds Ford to a single tally. Shortly after the ball was tossed in Phillips found the mark with an under the neck shot. Teammate Yetter contributed the other two, the first on a tap in from the middle of the pack a few yards out from the goal, while the second came as the result of a hard off side back shot. Then Taylor took command of the ball on the "toss in" and accounted for the Fords lone score with a strong off side fore shot.

Riding into the final period with a 3 goal deficit the Fords made a game attempt to overtake Phila. and succeeded in holding the Quakers scoreless. However Phila.'s own defensive machine functioned well, allowing only one goal to filter through. Jerry Powell took credit for the tally with an off side fore shot which bounced under two ponies before finding the mark. Yetter paced the winning club with 3 goals.

All that the All Star Club had to say after its 15-4 trouncing at the mallets of Maule Farms was, "Too much Allred". He took advantage of every ball fed him by riding mates Mike Sassone and Albie

Stewart and had the sphere bouncing in from almost every conceivable angle. Allred used the back hand just as well as the fore hand. When the final whistle blew he had maced a total of 11 goals. Albie Stewart contributed 3 goals and Mike Sassone 1 to round out the Maule scoring. The teamwork of Sassone and Stewart was at its best as each helped pave the way for Allred's spree.

The defeated All Stars managed one goal in each chukker with Weymouth and Powell dividing honors with two each.

Philadelphia	Chadds Ford
1. E. W. King	C. Martyn
2. L. Phillips	N. Taylor
3. E. Yetter	J. Powell

Philadelphia	Chadds Ford
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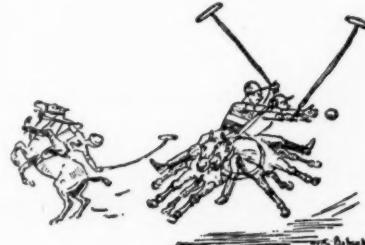
Phila. scoring — King 2, Phillips 2, Yetter 3. Chadds Ford scoring — Taylor 4, Powell 1. Referee — Modell Allred. Umpire — Dr. J. A. Torello. Scorer — Frankie Reynolds.

Maule Farms	All Stars
1. M. Sassone	G. Weymouth
2. A. Stewart	J. Powell
3. M. Allred	D. Ellingsworth

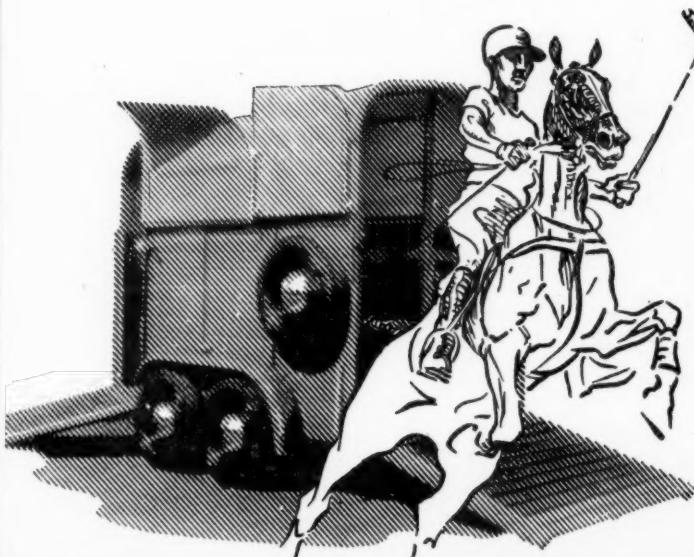
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Maule Farms scoring — Sassone 1, Stewart 3, Allred 11. All Stars scoring — Weymouth 2, Powell 2. Referee — Norm Taylor. Umpire — Dr. J. A. Torello. Scorer — Frankie Reynolds.

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Belmont 'Chasing

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a veteran, this Virginia home-bred son of Endeavour 2nd, out of Marvelous, could surprise in the Gwathmey. The runner-up spot went to Flaw which ran over tired horses, while four lengths further back, Moot, the pacemaker for a turn just bested Pine Shot for the show spot. Carthage, a strong contender in this field, only got as far as the front field Liverpool, where he bounced Jimmy Murphy off, and side-lined him for the rest of the season with a broken collar bone.

Sidney Watters, Jr., saddled Alfred M. Hunt's Homestake for a winning effort on Friday in a mile and a half hurdle race designed for non-winners of \$1,000. Run in a pouring rain, Homestake took the slop in his stride to win by 15 lengths. Navy Fighter, a three-year-old, ran a good race and was easily second best, with the remainder of the field well spread out, Friperty finishing third after breaking his foot in the running, and then Xavier which ran over dead weary horses to get the short end of the purse. Time for the race was 3:08, almost 26 seconds off the course record, and just three seconds slower than the mile and three quarter mark.

SUMMARIES

October 10, 1955

THE REYKJAVIK PURSE, abt. 1½ mi., 3-year-olds, al. hur. Purse, \$3,800. Net value to winner, \$2,470; 2nd: \$760; 3rd: \$380; 4th: \$190. Winner: ch. g., 3, by Cormac—Intermediate, by Peace Chance. Trainer: D. M. Smithwick. Breeder: G. T. Weymouth. Time: 2:51%.

1. Corkage, (Mrs. H. T. McKnight), 141, R. S. McDonald.
2. Basilia, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 136, S. Riles.
3. French Field, (Mrs. W. C. Wright), 136, E. Deveau.

8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Montpelier's Roget, 132, A. Foot; J. M. Schiff's Spit 'n Polish, 134, J. W. Thompson; Mrs. S. T. Patterson's Fox Blow, 137, E. Phelps; A. Untermyer's Morpheus, 145, F. D. Adams; S. C. Clark, Jr.'s Arrius, 141, K. Field. Won driving by ½; place same by 2; show same by 1½. No scratches.

October 11, 1955

THE GAY CHARLES PURSE, abt. 2 mi., 3 and up, al. br. Purse, \$4,000. Net value to winner, \$2,600; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$400; 4th: \$200. Winner: gr. g., 4, by Endeavor II—Marvelous, by *Bellfonds. Trainer: Mrs. C. E. Adams. Breeder: Mrs. M. E. Person. Time: 3:50%.

1. The Proff, (Langollen Farm), 132, F. D. Adams.
2. Flaw, (C. M. Kline), 134, E. Phelps.
3. Moot, (P. T. Cheff), 147, S. Riles.

8 started: 7 finished; also ran (order of finish): M. H. Dixon's Pine Shot, 139, E. Deveau; Mrs. S. T. Patterson's Goose Bay, 143, E. Deveau; Mrs. S. C. Clark, Jr.'s Brighty, 144, K. Field; C. W. Stitzer's "Another Hyacinth, 150, A. P. Smithwick; lost rider (5th): S. Watters, Jr.'s Carthage, 150, J. Murphy. Won easily by 6; place driving by 4; show same by neck. Scratched: C. W. Stitzer's "Another Hyacinth, 150, A. P. Smithwick.

2. Navy Fighter, (G. Dudley, Jr.), 136, F. D. Adams.

3. Friperty, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 136, S. Riles.

8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Mill River Stable's "Xavier II, 135, J. W. Thompson; H. LaMontagne's "Hurst Park, 146, J. Cutter; Nancy F. Sweet—Escott's Canterbury, 135, C. Cassidy. Won easily by 13; place driving by 4; show same by 8. Scratched: Hero, 149, A. P. Smithwick.

2. Navy Fighter, (G. Dudley, Jr.), 136, F. D. Adams.

3. Friperty, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 136, S. Riles.

8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Mill River Stable's "Xavier II, 135, J. W. Thompson; H. LaMontagne's "Hurst Park, 146, J. Cutter; Nancy F. Sweet—Escott's Canterbury, 135, C. Cassidy. Won easily by 13; place driving by 4; show same by 8. Scratched: Hero, 149, A. P. Smithwick.

October 14, 1955

Opt. cl. hur., abt. 1½ mi., 3 and up, Purse, \$3,500. Net value to winner, \$2,275; 2nd: \$700; 3rd: \$350; 4th: \$175. Winner: b. g., 4, by "Rico Monte—Tellmenow, by Menow. Trainer: S. Watters, Jr. Breeder: H. P. Headley. Time: 3:08.

1. Homestake, (A. M. Hunt), 149, A. P. Smithwick.

2. Navy Fighter, (G. Dudley, Jr.), 136, F. D. Adams.

3. Friperty, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 136, S. Riles.

8 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Mill River Stable's "Xavier II, 135, J. W. Thompson; H. LaMontagne's "Hurst Park, 146, J. Cutter; Nancy F. Sweet—Escott's Canterbury, 135, C. Cassidy. Won easily by 13; place driving by 4; show same by 8. Scratched: Hero, 149, A. P. Smithwick.

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October 13, 1955

55th running THE GRAND NATIONAL STEEPECHASE HANDICAP, abt. 3 mi., 4 and up, br. Purse, \$28,250. Net value to winner, \$19,200; 2nd: \$5,000; 3rd: \$2,500; 4th: \$1,250. Winner: ch. g., 5, by "Hunters Moon IV—Accra, by Annapolis. Trainer: Mrs. M. duPont Scott. Trainer: G. H. Bostwick. Time: 5:54%.

1. Neji, (Mrs. O. Phipps), 163, F. D. Adams.

2. Rythminhim, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 146, A. P. Smithwick.

3. His Boots, (Brookmeade Stable), 135, R. S. McDonald.

8 started; 6 finished; also ran (order of finish): Mrs. G. H. Bostwick's Hyvana, 138, S. Riles; M. H. Dixon's "Palais, 130, E. Deveau; Cordelia S. May's Billing Bear, 131, K. Field; fell (next to last jump); Brookmeade Stable's Bavaria, 133, J. W. Thompson; fell (17th); Montpelier's Shipboard, 165, A. Foot. Won driving by head; place same by 15; show same by 1½. No scratches.

Racing Review

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Star Rover. This colt, owned by Mrs. Irving Gushen, had won ten of 17 starts this year. He was second to Traffic Judge in the Jerome Handicap and after that came back to win the Longport Handicap.

But in the Benjamin Franklin, he showed nothing. Unable to get the lead at any stage, he dropped back steadily in the last quarter-mile to finish last, beaten almost twelve lengths.

Hawthorne

The \$10,000 Sun Beau Handicap (October 12) resulted in another win for the Allie E. Reubens. Summer Solstice, an Irish-bred 3-year-old, found the turf footing exactly to his liking and, as 1-2 favorite, he came home a three-quarter length winner over Montenegrin.

Johnny Adams had the mount on the Harry Trotsek-trained gray gelding and never permitted him to dawdle. Taking the lead leaving the last turn, Summer Solstice won with something in reserve.

For his efforts, he took down a check of \$6,500.

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Hidden Hill

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"Smokey" Evans. The race started off at a fast pace, Mr. Stone and Miss Evans roaring along at a terrific clip. Things settled down after the second jump (Fencer removed a chunk of wood but did not fall) and the pace was more sedate until the finish was in sight. Then Mr. Stone let his brown horse go on, Mr. Yull came in a strong second, Fencer a tired third.

CORRESPONDENT
Mike Kelley

PLACE: Williamsville, N. Y.
TIME: Sept. 25
JUDGE: Mrs. Dorinda Hall-Holland

SUMMARIES

Green hunters — 1. Hagar, William Wadsworth; 2. Red Oak, Oakridge Farm; 3. Hogan, San-Joy Farms; 4. Quiet Enough, C. C. Haendiges.

Children hunters — 1. Bright Lad, James Forman; 2. Top Again, Peter Schmidt; 3. Easter Wave, Diane Victor; 4. Lets Cheer, Elton Breen.

Owner rider — 1. Hoodwink, Franz Stone; 2. Quiet Enough, C. C. Haendiges; 3. Miss Paymor, K. Meyers; 4. Bright Lad, James Forman.

Lightweight hunters — 1. Judith, Franz Stone; 2. Uncle Seaweed, William Wadsworth; 3. Hogan, San-Joy Farms; 4. Lets Cheer, Elton Breen.

Hidden Hill turf plate — 1. Lady Two-Tone, Fred Lograins; 2. Brun de Gris, Franz Stone; 3. Red Oak, Oak Ridge Farm; 4. Lee Spence, Esther Craine.

Middle and heavy weight hunters — 1. Bright Mate, Mrs. R. B. Taylor; 2. Khoramount, C. Bassett; 3. Bright Lad, James Forman; 4. Miss Playmor, K. Meyers.

Pairs of hunters — 1. Judith, Franz Stone, Hoodwink, Franz Stone; 2. Khoramount, C. Bassett, Khoramation, C. Bassett; 3. Bright Lad, James Forman, Bright Mate, Mrs. R. B. Taylor; 4. Miss Playmor, K. Meyers, Red Oak, Oak Ridge Farm.

Nakoma steeplechase plate — 1. Brun de Gris, Franz Stone; 2. Hoodwink, owned by Franz Stone, ridden by Don Yull; 3. Fencer, owned by Roy-Mar Stable, ridden by "Smokey" Evans.

Racing Review

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A rank upset occurred in the twentieth running of the \$75,000-added Hawthorne Gold Cup (October 15) when Walmac Farm's Hasseyampa won the mile and a quarter race at 24-1 odds. Light weight of the nine-horse field at 111 pounds, Hasseyampa defeated some good ones: Jet Action, Traffic Judge, Social Outcast, Mister Black, Sea O'Erin and Wise Margin.

The Hasty House Farm pair, Mister Black and Sea O'Erin, finished two-three with the big name Eastern horses among the also-rans.

Hasseyampa, a winner of only one previous race this year in eleven starts, earned \$55,200.

Of the Eastern hopes, only Traffic Judge had a face-saver. He went to his knees at the start and grabbed a quarter. The injury may be serious enough to keep him from accepting his engagement in Laurel's Washington International, November 11.

Suffolk

W. G. Morton's Fife and Drum took down the \$5,500 winner's purse in the \$10,000 Columbus Day Handicap, October 12. Scoring by a nose from Oberon, the

7-year-old son of Amphitheatre and Parade Girl carried top weight of 120 pounds and went off 11-10 favorite. He was timed in 1.51 for the mile and an eighth course. It was Fife and Drum's second straight score in the Columbus Day, he having won the inaugural running last year.

The \$10,000 John Alden Handicap (October 15) found the even-money favorite, Lassie Lea, scoring by a half-length from Switch On. Owned by B. A. Dario, the

4-year-old daughter of Battlefire and Handy Lass was timed in 1.12% for the six furlongs over a sloppy track. Her win was worth \$5,500 to Dario.

Bay Meadows

The Columbus Day Handicap (October 12) resulted in sharp upset when Eddie Schmidt came home the winner at \$54.60 for \$2. The \$10,000-added six-furlong test for 2-year-olds was run in a brilliant 1.09%, and Eddie Schmidt earned \$6,825 for his efforts.

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MEXICAN TEAM HOSPITALIZED

A traffic accident has hospitalized Mexico's riding team. Brig. Gen. Humberto Mariles took stock of his team in St. Anthony's hospital. He said "I am happy nobody died. I got just little injuries. I am all right." But all was not so right. Gen. Mariles and Lt. Robert Vinals will compete in the Penna. National Show Oct. 22-29. He said you must have three riding in competition but is possible that the two can ride all six horses. Three junior officers were riding with the General in his station wagon when it collided with another automobile in White Hall, a suburb of Columbus, Ohio. The station wagon was demolished. The driver of the other car was charged with driving while intoxicated.

Lt. Venal suffered severe head cuts. Lt. Jamie de la Gorza suffered a hip dislocation and will be in the hospital for several weeks. Capt. Joaquin d' Harcourt suffered knee cuts. The team horses and two handlers are already in Harrisburg for the Pennsylvania National Show.

MEXICAN TEAM TO COMPETE

Despite some speculation and thoughts to the contrary, the Mexican Equestrian Team will be at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show, the National Horse Show and at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto.

POOL PURCHASE PAYS OFF

Sharing the lowest price in the pool the evening before the Rolling Rock Meeting's final day, Kent Miller and Grover Stevens bought the ticket on Tall Tree, Llangollen Farm's Miller-trained gelded son of "Endeavour II" and Little Acorn. The investment proved fortunate, with Tall Tree showing the way to the wire in the flat mile Laurel Ridge, in front of "Tico Tico, Home Stake, and seven other starters. Down at the finish, Kent was really "bringing him home," with an enthusiasm that sounded like Flatbush on the night of the last World Series game.

STRINGERS ENTERTAIN AT ROLLING ROCK

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Stringer gave their annual cocktail party on Sunday, beginning at 1:00 p.m., after Rolling Rock Races. On the lawn with the swimming pool making an attractive setting, the music of Marchard's Orchestra lent its touch of festive beauty to the event which has given such pleasure to so many guests of the Meeting.

HUSTLING HAUS

At Rolling Rock on Busman's Holiday was Bryan Field the maestro of Delaware Park, watching his sidekick Gil Haus hustling around, making one of the year's best Hunt Meetings tick as usual.

PRESIDENT EARL THOMSON

Col. Earl F. Thomson was elected President of the Volunteer Hunter and Jumper Association at that organization's second annual business meeting at Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 26. He succeeds the late W. C. Magli who was the prime mover in the formation of this association to promote more and better sport of this variety in Middle Tennessee.

Col. Thomson, only rider to represent the United States on three Olympic Three-Day teams, moved to Nashville in December, 1954. — M. L. W.

WALSH GRAND NATIONAL ELIGIBLES

Michael G. (Mickey) Walsh has now chalked up two eligibles this year for England's Grand National Steeplechase. After his victory in the brush race at Fair Hill on Saturday, Oct. 10th, Mrs. M. G. Walsh's versatile 11 year old campaigner Repose, also winner over timber on the meeting's second day, will probably soon be named a starter in the Aintree classic.

Now another possible contender in this perhaps greatest test of racing jumpers is Mrs. Walsh's Crag, since his victory in the \$5,000 International Gold Cup at the Rolling Rock Meeting at Ligonier, Penna., on October 8.

POSTWARD

Miss Helen Ferguson and Mr. Harold S. ("Brud") Plumb have announced their betrothal. Miss Ferguson of Canada's lovely twintet, Helen and Edith (Mrs. Vernon G. Cardy) will leave the paddock with Mr. Plumb at a time not yet definitely known. Racing enthusiasts following events both through the field and on the flat have long known "Brud" as an official, serving usually as starter at the hunt meetings for brush, timber, and turf and as a judge on the flat circuit.

NASHUA ON CANVAS

Mr. W. Smithson Broadhead of Middleburg, Va., widely known of artists in our time, has been commissioned by Mr. William Woodward, Jr. to paint his great champion three-year-old, Nashua. "Broadie" was quite happy after his recent visit to Aqueduct, where his famed subject was then stabled. Mr. "Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons' cordial hospitality, it seems, was exceeded only by his reception by the gallant colt, whose gentlemanly manners and disposition made this responsible undertaking a pleasure.

Among other recent works by Mr. Broadhead is that of Mr. John Hay Whitney's Tom Fool, last season's Horse of the Year, and the 3-year-old Queen's Own — champion last year in Canada — owned by American Jockey Club member E. P. Taylor of Toronto.

ORANGE COUNTY HOUNDS

Whenever and wherever deer are encountered, while working with foxhounds, trouble in pack management can usually be anticipated. Yet, a recent report by Mr. Charles T. Turner, M. F. H. of Orange County Hunt, is certainly a tribute to the ability of veteran huntsman "Duke" Leach, and the compliance of his hounds. Their manners and response, says Mr. Turner, have continued to improve to a marked degree, on occasions when this noxious menace to the sport of foxhunting have arisen.

With evidence of a good fox supply, the Master reports that conditions in general for early season hunting have been excellent and that fields have been well up in attendance.

HAYMOND RETIRES

Mr. Leon S. Haymond of the Wee-3 Stables has decided that he will have to

be so greatly occupied by business matters from now on that he would have no time to enjoy his horses. With this in mind he has turned his stable over to Dave Kelley and his wife Carol. He felt that he had had such a pleasant association with the Kelleys and with the horses having had such good care that Dave and Carol had more than earned the horses for their own. Mr. and Mrs. Haymond were grand exhibitors and will be missed at the shows. — B. P.

SAXON WOODS DONATES ROYAL GUARD

Gordon Wright and Mrs. Robert Schmid announced at the Westchester Show that the Saxon Woods Farm had donated Royal Guard to Billy Steinkraus to show on the U. S. Equestrian Team. This is indeed a prize for Billy, as Guard is a fine jumper. — B. P.

STETSON BOWS TO BOWLER

Dr. Bob Rost of Chado Farms in New Jersey and Joan Chambers of Montgomery, New York announced their engagement some time ago and are planning to be married soon. Joan was Queen of the Rodeo in Madison Square Garden several years ago and has ridden in it up to this season. Now she has been converted to the hunter ranks by her fiancee. — B. P.

NORTHERN HOSPITALITY

The hospitality of the Long Islanders is not topped by any legends of "Southern Hospitality". Many exhibitors came forward with offers of places for Peggy Green to stay while Joe was still in the hospital in Glen Cove. The Tom Geolys finally persuaded her to stay with them, as it is not far from the hospital. Three cheers to the Long Islanders and best of wishes for Joe. — B. P.

ROLLING ROCK RETAKES

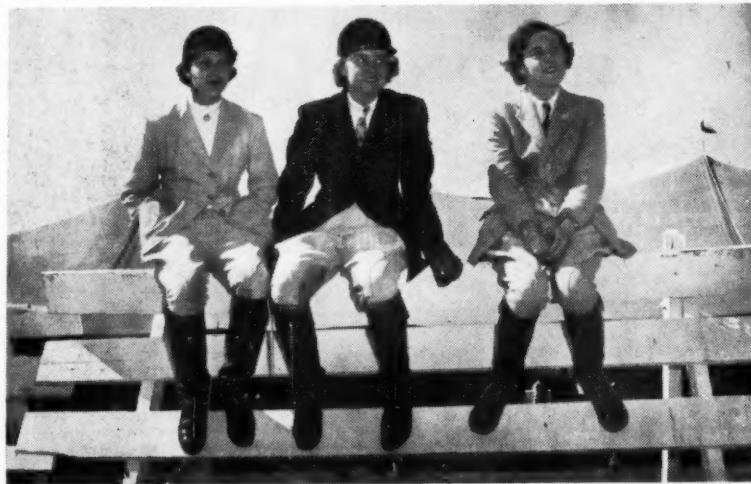
Living up to a well-earned reputation, the Rolling Rock Hunt Race Meeting again proved to be the gayest on the circuit. Getting out of wet clothes and into a dry martini was the order of the day following Wednesday's racing in the drizzling rain. The association hosted owners and officials at a cocktail party preceding the Wednesday night informal dinner dance. The evening was one for celebrations and toasts as it was the 15th wedding anniversary for the popular W. Burling Cocks. Never one to do things in a small way, owner George T. Weymouth gifted them with a jereboam of champagne. Getting the largest bottle of champagne produced to the table, required the services of Eugene Weymouth and C. V. B. "Van" Cushman. After toasting the happy couple from Unionville, Pa., "Burley" Cocks proposed a toast for Helen Ferguson and H. W. "Brud" Plumb, divulging the engagement of the noted show ring rider and hunt race meeting starter . . . All week long the trans-Atlantic cables buzzed as Chris Wood, Jr., field director of the United Hunts worked on a deal to get Edouard Gugenheim's Farfatch over to this country for the \$50,000 added Temple Gwathmey. As this goes to press, it looks like Europe's leading steeplechase horse will engage Shipboard, Neji and others in the world's richest 'chase at Belmont Park on October 21. Much talk at Rolling Rock centered on the gala dinner to be held on the Starlight Roof of the Waldorf-Astoria on the eve of the Temple Gwathmey. Held for members and guests, the dinner will honor the winners of last year's UHRA divisional awards and owners with starters in the 'chase classic. President Amory L. Haskell will

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present trophies to Mrs. William J. Strawbridge, owner of "Land's Corner (timber division); Mrs. M. G. Walsh, owner of Rythminhing (hurdle division); and Harry S. Nichols, owner of Ginny Bug (brush division). Mr. Haskell promises a surprise presentation to each owner with a starter in the Gwathmey . . . Although the English Grand National is some time away, time and distance shrank considerably as news leaked out of a proposed United Hunts Racing Association air-tour to Aintree in March. Members enthusiasm was further aroused when M. G. "Mickey" Walsh said that Repose, barring the unforeseen, would definitely represent the United States in the coming renewal of the grueling race . . . William H. Frantz, president of the Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club, is more than toying with the idea of purchasing Repose to carry his colors over the big Aintree course.



(L. to r.): Patsy Ann Smith, Susan Lansbury and Miriam "Sissy" Duffy, contestants at the Westchester Country Club Horse Show.

CANADIAN TEAM ANNOUNCED

George Jacobsen, Montreal, President of the Canadian Horse Shows Association, has just announced the personnel of the Canadian Equestrian team which will represent Canada and will compete with top foreign jumping teams at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair in the Coliseum here from November 11 to 19.

The Canadian team of three riders and six horses will also participate in the International Competitions at Harrisburg, Pa., October 24 to 29, and at the National Horse Show, New York, November 1 to 8. Outstanding teams from the United States, Mexico, and Ireland will vie with the Canadians for top honours.

W. R. (Bob) Ballard, Toronto, will be the team captain. Mr. Ballard has been the captain of the Canadian Equestrian Team for the past five years. He will be mounted on his well known and successful horses, Oregon Duke and Belair.

The second member of the team is Major L. J. McGuinness, Toronto. A former captain of the Canadian Olympic Equestrian team, Major McGuinness will ride Dark Horse, which made a fine showing in Europe recently, and D'Eau-bonne.

The third member of the team is Douglas Hood. He will be mounted on Champ Play, one of Mr. Ballard's horses, and O. J. B. owned by R. W. Bunting.

BEN DUFFY TOP HOST

A vote of thanks from the exhibitors at the Westchester Country Club Show to Ben Duffy for the million and one things he did to make the show comfortable for everyone great or small. From all sorts of parties, good room accommodations, honorary guest badges to judges in the area to his wonderful smile of welcome he couldn't have made people more at home. — B. P.

TACTFUL BEARING WITH JUDGES

The recent partial suspension of an exhibition may cause the parents of some of the young exhibitors to be more tactful in their comments about the judging of the classes. It is a sad thing to see a child suffer the consequences because the parent lost his temper. So here's to a class for model parents! — B. P.

"Before the Hunt"— Blessing the Best Hound of the Year

Artist Harold Breul writes of the reproduction on our cover:

"It portrays no special hunt establishment but is purely imaginative and based on the French custom in some hunts of blessing the best hound of the year. The chapel was drawn from a sketch I made in World War I and I surrounded it with the wall and gates of a chateau near the little town I was billeted in at the time. Although there was no hunting at that time I did see quite a bit of the forests that provided sport and some of the stables."

the Hunt-Morgan house at Lexington, Ky., as a historic shrine. The paintings were loaned for the occasion by Dr. A. J. Alexander, James A. Alexander, Robert Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Gay, A. B. Hancock, Jr., Dr. Marius Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. William Simms.

The Swiss-born Troye made his headquarters in Scott County, Ky., for some years; and died there in 1874.

Hopemont was built about 1814 by John Wesley Hunt, Kentucky's first millionaire. Later it was the residence of Hunt's grandson, Gen. John Hunt Morgan, whose Confederate raiding force was a terror to the Union Army during the Civil War; and of Thomas Hunt Morgan, winner of the Nobel Prize for medicine. — F. T. P.

IN THE FAMILY

Fifteen-year-old Niki Bachman rode Star Polly to win the Farmer's Cup at the Westmoreland Hunt Horse Show, Greensburg, Pa. The cup a perpetual Trophy, donated by the farmers over whose land the Westmoreland Hound hunt, has been in competition since 1931. In 1937 it was won by Crosby and in 1949 by Elena both entries of Niki's grandfather, Mr. E. C. Bothwell. . . C. B.

LOCAL COLOR

Bits of "local color" observed at the ringside of the Barrington, (Ill.) horse show—Bonnie Belknap aboard Bert Firestone's well known open horse Golden Chance in the Junior Olympic class; the George Gurendels on their horses and ponies carefully graduated in size like a flight of stairs; the pluck of Robin Tieken's little Arab jumper Fabulous on the Junior Olympic course which had more resemblance to a handy jumper test; and the parade of innumerable ponies common only in general size and ranging in looks from the mounts of Genghis Khan to those depicted in 18th century English oil paintings. . . Equipe

EGLINTON HOUNDS

The Eglinton Hounds, Toronto, had their first "kill" of the season on October 1. In truth it was a chop by drowning. After drawing through Dr. Bruce's cover, Maj. Charles Kindersley, Joint M. F. H. who carries the horn, crossed Cummer Ave. by the bridge and worked down across the river flats where hounds jumped a cub. The foolish youngster made for the river. The pack knocked him under and drowned him in 2 feet of water. The Master had to wade in to retrieve the soggy corpse. Norah Bladen, youngest member of the field which included many Pony Clubbers received the somewhat bedraggled brush.

— Broadview

LONG LINES

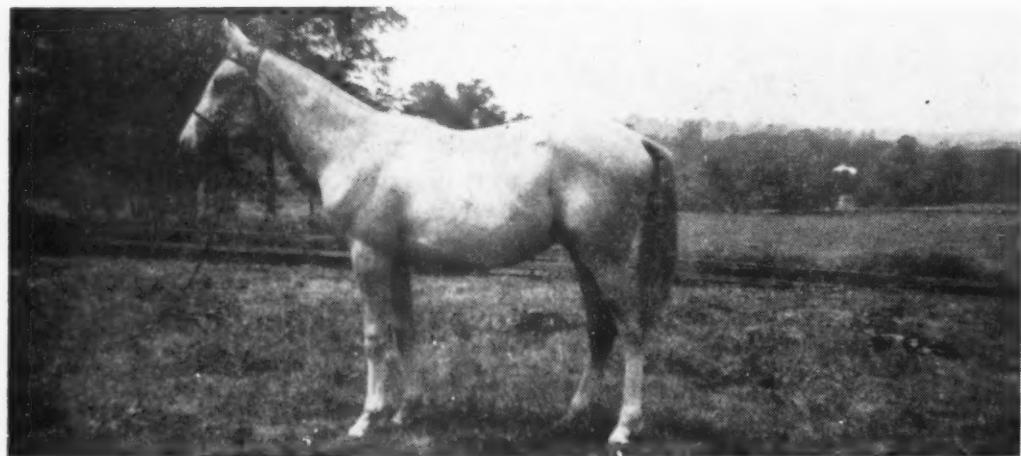
Something new in weanling training was seen in the Other Than Thoroughbred class at the Pennsylvania Horse Breeders show on Oct. 1st. Tom Harvey proceeded to drive, with leadropes doubling for long lines, his weanling around the ring and out the gate, to the amazement and amusement of the ringsiders. The colt's well on his way, for he seems to know just what's happening, even at this early age. — Fencepost

TROYE EXHIBITION

An exhibition of 18 paintings by the famous equine artist Edward Troye got under way this week (Oct. 10th) in connection with the opening of Hopemont,

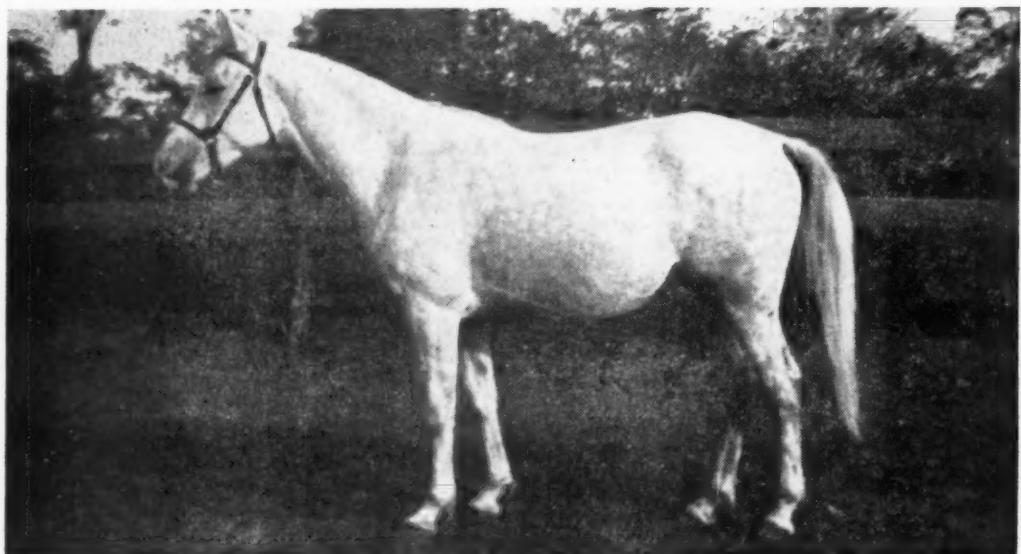
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